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## LIVELY ELECTION AND EACH CANDIDATE STILL HOPEFUL

Tuesday's democratic city primary was not by any means the liveliest in the history of the town, but it was the liveliest in many a month. For nearly every office there was a contest, and the way each candidate and his supporters "did about" showed no one inclined to "lay down."

As usual it was some time after the hour set before the various ward boards got together and the voting began. But once begun there was a pretty steady stream of voters in the booths from then on.

This, the second time it has been undertaken to enforce the Australian system of voting shows our people are readily adjusting themselves to the change—to the abandonment of the old "scratching" system.

To say who has won in the election at this time—3:30—would be a mere guess. The most sagacious admit that. But the voting at this hour numbers as follows: 1st ward 117; 2nd ward 43; 3rd ward 73; 4th ward 107. In the last city primary the total votes in the respective wards were 145, 190, 108 and 148. It is thought the balloting today will be about as heavy as a year ago.

### BEGGARS ORGANIZED

Have a System Which Works Admirably in Territory.

Muskogee, I. T., March 12.—The confession of a beggar who operated in Indian Territory towns, and was finally caught in the dragnet of the police, has disclosed the fact that the beggars of the new state have a perfect organi-

zation, presided over by a president elected by them. There are other officers, the principal one being the manager, who outlines the route to be taken by the cripple or the blind man. The "workers" operate on a commission basis and their routes are changed often enough to give each fair play.

The man who told the story to the police says that it is not necessary for a man to be a cripple in order to become a member of the organization, and intimates that "putting on a good front" was about all that was required. The money which is turned in is used for the benefit of the society. It is said that headquarters have been established at Muskogee and Oklahoma City. There is a great number of beggars in this part of the country. Many are blind, and others crippled. The majority credit their disfigurement to mine disasters.

### Supply the Cannery.

The time is now on when the truck farmer should decide just what to plant in the way of tomatoes, beans, cucumbers, etc. The Ada cannery will be ready in due time for all products suitable for packing, and will do you right in the way of purchasing your berries, peaches, etc., or will can them on the shares. The Acme or the Stone tomatoes are the very best for canning and shipping purposes.

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## PROHIBITION SUBMITTED BY VOTE OF 69 TO 13

Guthrie, Ok., March 12.—The provision separately submitting the prohibition question in its application to the entire new state passed finally in the convention yesterday by a vote of 69 for to 13 against. When the convention met last November there were fifty-two for constitutional prohibition, forty-two for local option and eighteen for separate submission. To practically reverse the situation, it developed early in the session that unless the question was sent to the people for an expression there would be no action taken. This ends one of the most earnestly contested movements before the convention and one which attracted more general attention from both Territories.

The convention completed the executive department by making it impossible for the Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor and Treasurer to immediately succeed themselves after the second election. Attorney General and Superintendent of Public Instruction were eliminated from the inhibition. All officials will be eligible to succeed each other and all terms begin with the day the state is admitted to the Union, and the first expire in January, 1911. The minimum age limit is 30 years and residence in the Territories three years.

Any person may waive a jury trial and have the case presented to the judge. His verdict shall have the same effect as if it had been rendered by a jury. Perpetuities and monopolies shall never be allowed.

A lively contest ensued over the adoption of the public buildings report, during which some of the delegates called into question the power of congress to locate the new state's capital in Guthrie until 1913. This stipulation is made in the enabling act and being recited in the report Mr. Haskell carried a motion to strike it out. Mr. Williams of Durant suggested if the convention wanted statehood it had better follow the enabling act, to which Mr. Haskell retorted that he favored accepting terms of the act as far as congress had the power to impose.

It was agreed that the matter of capital location be sent to the schedule committee to figure out. Then Mr. Haskell came forward with a resolution permanently locating the present Oklahoma educational institutions where they now are, and providing for the location of three additional normal schools in Indian Territory, three already being in Oklahoma, the committee to select the new sites. This went on quickly to the table under the usual motion, with the understanding, however, that the subject is to be dealt

with in the schools.

No promises are made as to the proposed Indian Territory normals and unless they are it is predicted the whole matter of location will be passed to the legislature, save as to the existing institutions. The policy was practically established that no money is to be spent for capitol conveniences other than rent, etc., at the present location.

### AFRAID DAM MAY BURST.

Farmer Down the Valley Fears Another Johnstown Flood.

J. S. Buck, a farmer living on Boggy some two miles below the site for Ada's waterworks dam, called on The News editor today and evinced some fear on the part of himself and neighbors that the dam may break some time and precipitate another Johnstown flood upon the settlers in the valley below. He urged the editor to write a vigorous article imploring the city to build the dam doubly strong so that no such catastrophe could occur.

The editor tried to dispel the fears of Mr. Buck. While no expert engineer, he gave it as his opinion that if the dam should some time break loose the volume of water released could scarcely imperil life further than a few hundred yards below; also that the city council had exercised the utmost care and had selected the best engineers to build the reservoir according to the most modern principles of engineering.

We trust Mr. Buck and his neighbors will lose no sleep over such fancied danger.

### Listen

and remember the next time you suffer pain—caused by damp weather—when our head nearly bursts from neuralgia—try Ballard's Snow Liniment. It will cure you. A prominent business man of Hempstead, Texas, writes: "I have used your liniment. Previous to using it I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism and Neuralgia. I am pleased to say that now I am free from these complaints. I am sure I owe this to your liniment."—Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

### A Baby

should be sunshine in the home, and will be if you give it White's Cream Vermifuge, the greatest worm medicine ever offered to suffering humanity. This remedy is becoming the permanent fixture of well regulated households—A mother, with children, can't get along without a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge in the house. It is the purest and best medicine money can buy.—Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

## BACK TO THE BARS FOR ORD-- ATTEMPT TO KILL THE CHARGE

Ord Rich, the frequent guest of prisons, he who at the last term of court here was acquitted of a charge of rape, is in jail again.

He and Dan Crooks—so the testimony ran at the examining trial this morning—were flocking together Monday night and sauntered off toward "the flats." Later Dan showed up with a broken head, and Rich by officers was found in bed with a slingshot on his person, which one officer says he tried to conceal under the quilt. The weapon is a heavy iron tap with a string attached.

Dan says when the two had reached a dark, obscure place on the railroad track suddenly he was dealt a terrific blow on the back of the head; that running away in terror he encountered two other men, whereupon Rich disappeared. Dan bled profusely and several stitches had to be taken in his head. It is said he had earlier in the night flashed some money.

After the preliminary hearing this morning Rich was held to await the action of the grand jury at Ardmore in April and his bond set at \$2,000. The charge is assault with intent to kill.

### Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the city of Ada, Indian Territory, on Tuesday, April the 2nd, 1907, at the places hereinafter named, for the purpose of electing a

Mayor, Recorder, Marshal, Treasurer, two Aldermen from each ward and such other officers as are or may be provided for by ordinance of the said city.

Said election will be held at the following places, in said city, to-wit: Ward No. 1 in the frame building one door north from the Commercial hotel.

Ward No. 2 at the John B. Beard building on the East side of Broadway between Main and 10th street.

Ward No. 3 at the United States Commissioner's court room.

Ward No. 4 at the frame building on the East side of Townsend avenue between Main and 12th streets.

The polls will be opened and closed and the election conducted as provided by the election laws in force in the Indian Territory.

Given under my hand this the 1st day of March, 1907. 293-tf

J. P. Wood, Mayor.

In the treatment of piles it becomes necessary to have the remedy put up in such a form that it can be applied to the parts affected. Man Zan Pile remedy is encased in a collapsible tube with nozzle attached. It cannot help but reach the spot. Relieves blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. 50 cents with nozzle guaranteed. Try it. Sold by G. M. Ramsey's drug store.

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## CHILDREN RECEIVE BIG REWARD FOR SAVING TRAIN

Muskogee, I. T., March 12.—Two children, a little son and daughter of Jim Whetstone, living near Henryetta, saved a fast freight from plunging into a burning trestle the other night, and they have been given \$1,000 each by the railroad company as a reward for their brave work.

The children live near the Frisco tracks where the trestle burned. They saw the fire and tried to telephone to the station agent at Henryetta, but the agent did not hear or would not answer the phone. It was at night and the trestle could not be seen but a little way. The children knew that the train would go into the ravine if it was not stopped. They secured a lantern and as fast as they could run, hastened up the track waving the lantern as they ran. The engineer saw the signal and stopped his heavy train just in time. It is reported that as soon as the railroad officials heard of it they sent a check for \$1,000 to each of the children.

The children are of Indian blood and in addition to the money they received from the railroad they have allotments of valuable coal land from which they receive immense royalties.

### Not As Good As Pontotoc.

T. D. McKeown, accompanied by W. P. Chism, of Francis, returned this morning from a business trip to New Mexico. Tom thinks it a mightily overrated region. It made his heart sad to see the great hordes of immigrants rushing in to get a tract on those semi-barren plains. "I wouldn't swap Pontotoc county for the whole territory of New Mexico," declares Tom.

### Frisco Spreading Out at Francis.

It is reported the Frisco is acquiring more land at Francis and purposes to build a lot more of side trackage, all of which does not indicate any strong disposition on the part of the company to remove the shops to Ada.

## STATE COMMITTEE URGES JUNE 1 FOR PRIMARY DAY

Guthrie, Ok., March 12.—The State Democratic Executive Committee was in session yesterday and recommended to the general committee of the new state that primary election be ordered for the first Saturday in June (June 1). This recommendation will be presented at the meeting in Tulsa to be held on the second day following adjournment of the convention.

It is understood that the convention will adopt the opinion of its legal advisory committee, that it has no authority to provide mandatory primaries of the first election, but it is relying upon the Democratic committee to do so, which is authorized by the

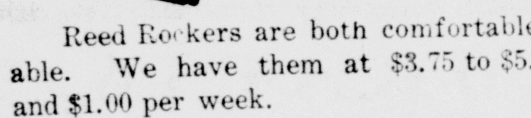
existing Oklahoma laws. The Democratic Executive Committee will address a note to the republican committee asking the latter to join in ordering a primary for June, which cause both parties to nominate in a like manner and on the same day.

The supreme election board recently named by the convention was also in session here yesterday and organized. John M. Young of Lawton was made chairman, J. C. McClelland of Pond Creek was made vice-chairman and J. E. Wyands of Muskogee is the secretary. The other two representatives are D. N. Robb of Atoka and Dyke Ballinger of Anadarko, both being republicans.

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M. L. TURNER

For Congress  
CHARLEY D. CARTER  
D. H. LINEBAUGH  
F. W. SKILLERN  
E. P. HILL  
CHAS. E. McPHERREN

For State Representative.  
RANDOLPH LAURENCE.

For State Treasurer  
J. A. MENEFEE

For Circuit Judge  
EUGENE E. WHITE

For Clerk of Supreme Court  
E. C. PATTON

For County Judge  
J. P. WOOD  
A. M. CROXTON

For County Attorney  
ROBT WIMBISH  
B. C. KING

For Sheriff  
ROBERT NESTER  
A. A. (GUS) BOBBITT  
L. E. (LEM) MITCHELL  
JAMES D. GAAR  
J. E. (ED) FUSSELL

For County Clerk  
C. A. (CHARLIE) POWERS  
W. S. (SAM) KERR  
H. WOODARD  
M. F. DEW.

For District Clerk  
W. T. COX

For County Treasurer  
J. C. CATES  
C. K. DAVENPORT  
J. K. SCROGGIN

For Register of Deeds  
A. C. BRAY  
GARY KITCHENS  
C. C. HARGIS  
A. L. MILES.

For County Coroner  
DR. JOHN W. DAVENPORT

For County Surveyor

For Supt. of Public Instruction  
BASCOM T. LAWSON

For County Commissioners

For Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct  
W. H. NETTLES  
H. J. BROWN

For Constable Ada Precinct  
CHARLES A. THOMAS  
SID RIEDEL

### TEACHES DOGS A LESSON.

Animals on One Letter Carrier's Route Never Attack Him Twice.

"No one comes in contact with all sorts of dogs more than the letter carrier," said the man in gray as the interviewer trudged along beside him. "Take it outside the business districts and every other family has a dog. Many of them I pay no attention to, but about one out of five aches to get his teeth into my legs at first sight. It is a part of my duty to teach such curs a lifelong lesson."

"Do you kick them?" was asked. "That would be foolish. I carry here in my side pocket about a quarter of a pound of dry fine cut tobacco. You see it is almost as fine as snuff. The dog that means to bite you won't come charging down with a roar. He sneaks up behind and gives a jump in. I am ready for it. Without seeming to be watching, I know where he is, and at the right moment he gets the tobacco dust in his eyes. Then there is a circus. That dog goes through such a performance as you never witnessed, and his owner, man or woman, indulges in all sorts of threats. I deliver the mail and say nothing and go on. The dog's eyes are sore for a fortnight, and if he afterward meets me on the street he will drop his tail and make a bolt for home. It's a lesson he never forgets, and I believe it increases his owner's respect for Uncle Sam's uniform."

### ALL ARGUMENT AT AN END.

Youthful Logic That Completely Silenced Mother.

A small girl of ten was starting to consume a tower of graham crackers that she had ingeniously built at the table. Her parents remonstrated with her. The girl persisted and was finally sent to bed for disobedience.

The next morning after her father had gone down to the office she turned to her mother with an expression of resignation and the words:

"Well, how long is this going to last? I suppose I've got to stand it for the present, but just wait till I grow up and then I'm going to do exactly what I please."

"But, Carol," argued her mother, a bit alarmed at the child's persistence, "I'm grown up and I don't always do what I want to."

"Well," remarked Carol, with an air of conviction which contained a prophecy, "all I have to say is that you are very foolish."

The argument was unanswerable and the mother lapsed into silence.

### Headed That Way.

The late Hon. Amasa Norcross of Fitchburg, Mass., who ably represented his district for three successive terms in congress, told the following story with evident enjoyment:

In the early days of his practice as a lawyer he was employed as attorney for a man who complained of a neighbor for trespassing upon his premises, who among other things said that when he went to talk with his neighbor about it that individual used very threatening and abusive language.

In cross-examining the defendant upon the witness stand Mr. Norcross asked:

"What did you say to my client when he came to see you about trespassing on his premises?"

"I told him to go to the devil."

"Well, did he go?"

"I think he did, sir, for I noticed that he started off directly toward your office."

### Hogs' Strange Behavior.

Hogs over near the good church of Providence are acting queerly here recently. One of my grave, dignified stewards was telling me about it the other day.

"Brother W—," said he, "a strange thing is happening over in our community." "What in the world is it?" said I. "Well," replied my steward, "it's the hogs. They are acting as I never saw them before. They are actually rubbing their tails off." "You don't tell me—rubbing their tails off?"

Steward—"Yes, sir, it's a fact. It seems it is some sort of a disease that peculiarly affects that part of the hog's anatomy, and he goes to a pine tree and rubs until the tail is excommunicated. We have more bobtail hogs in my section than you can shake a stick at."—Southern Christian Advocate.

### Berlin Barred Scriptural Sign.

The Berlin police are extremely thorough in their methods, and Daniel Czienec, who keeps a beer house opposite the Nazareth church there, has experienced this. In a moment of inspiration he christened his establishment "Daniel in the Lions' Den," and painted on the signboard over his door a picture of the great Hebrew sitting at ease among the lions.

The police came along and told Daniel that his sign and picture were calculated to offend religious susceptibilities and ordered their removal. "Daniel in the" might remain, but "Lions' Den" and the picture had to go.

### Held in Reserve.

Peppery Colonel (at the club card table)—Good heavens, sir! Haven't you got a black suit?

Irrepressible sub—Yes, sir; but I'm saving it for your funeral!

### The Ruling Passion.

Doctor (looking at clinical thermometer)—Hello! This won't do—hundred and three!

Golfing Patient—What's the bogey?

### NOT THE ORDINARY KIND.

Their Love Was To Be Tender and Romantic Ever, But Alas!

"George, dear," she said, a night or two before the wedding, "do you think it possible that our love and our married life can become the commonplace, coldly practical love and life of the married people we see around us? Oh, George, my heart would break if I thought so."

"But it will not be so," said George, passionately. "We love each other too tenderly, too fondly for that. Our love is not of the ordinary kind, my darling, and our lives will not be so. Ah, no, no, my angel; that can never be."

"And the other day she said, 'I say, George, how would you like pork for dinner with apple sauce? You would? All right, then; and don't you forget that feeding bottle for the baby, or I'll send you back after it, and mind that you don't keep your dinner waiting.' And he, with falling off of the passion of ten years ago, replied: 'All right, Lou; and I wish you'd sew a button on the back part of those striped trousers of mine; you'll find them hanging over a chair in our room. Don't have the pork as dry as last time, and you watch the baby's cold. That watering of the eyes looks like measles to me. There's my bus. Good-by.'"

### EXPLAINED TO THE EMPRESS.

Kaiser Apologized For Length of Absence From Her.

A characteristic story may be related of Emperor Wilhelm II's peculiarities. One morning he made a call on Count Szoecyeny, then Austrian ambassador at Berlin. The count was dawdling over his breakfast when his valet announced, "His majesty the emperor."

As the latter entered and took a chair, he said: "I have come for a glass of beer and a chat, as I have not seen you for so long. I will take a cigarette. And how is your wife?"

At that moment the baroness entered the room, and the trio held a pleasant converse for some time. Suddenly the kaiser looked at his watch and jumped to his feet. "Good gracious! Have we talked so long? I must use your telephone at once to bid the empress good bye, as I haven't time to return to the palace before starting for the maneuvers. I must, however, excuse myself to my wife."

Thereupon the emperor rang up the empress to whom he spoke as follows: "Don't be angry. I have chatted so long with Szoecyeny that I must drive to the station from here, so I cannot give you my parting kiss. I am very sorry."

### Blondes and Brunettes.

It is said, though whether it is worth remembering or not is a matter of choice, that more fair people than dark ones remain unmarried, and people residing in the country have lighter hair than those who live in towns, owing to the fact that they are more in the sun and fresh air. Black hair was most esteemed by the ancient Jews, while the Greeks and Romans gave the preference to the golden shades. Those with dark hair work most, those with fair hair think the most. Red hair is a sign of passion, jealousy and ardor; auburn shades indicate delicacy and refinement of taste; dark brown hair combines strength and susceptibility; while black hair denotes hasty temper, self-will and revenge, says Woman's Life. As to complaints, some one has said black-haired people are most liable to consumption, brown-haired to rheumatism and heart disease, red-haired to pleurisy, pneumonia, ague and neuralgia and fair-haired persons to skin diseases.

### Mistaken Identity.

Judge Adams was sitting, and the officer had brought in a complaint against a Chinese, one Sing Lee, for breach of the ordinances.

"But you know, Mr. Officer," said his honor, "that no one but a police officer can be complainant in this case according to law. Now in this instance a citizen cannot make the complaint, and here is one Chinaman complaining of another."

"How is that, your honor?"

"Don't you see? 'George Nee,' complainant; 'Sing Lee,' defendant."

"Well, pardon me, your honor; it may sound a little like the Chinese, but George Nee happens to be my name."—Boston Herald.

### Finery Didn't Fit.

A party of women were being entertained at afternoon tea the other day by an artist who has a large collection of seventeenth and eighteenth century costumes.

One of the girls present said she would like to try on a certain gown, and soon all the guests were slipping into the quaint old finery.

But with only one exception—and she was a slim little thing of 16—one could induce her ancient gown to meet on her, and frocks that were meant to have trains were ankle high on their wearers. The artist laughingly admitted that not one of his models could wear them.

### Professor's Brain Gives Way.

According to the Berlin correspondent of a Paris newspaper, Dr. Behring, of whose "cure" for tuberculosis so much was heard recently, is under confinement. Personal acquaintances of the doctor declare that the news is not at all improbable, as for some time the professor has been in a highly neurotic condition.

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### SAYS IT HURTS SALE

Home Prescription Ruins Sale of Patent Medicine.

To make up enough of the "vegetable treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore weak bladder and rheumatism; get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties almost instantly. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

A well known local druggist, who is in a position to know, asserts that this prescription, wherever it becomes known, always ruins the sale of the numerous patent medicine rheumatism cures, kidney cures, etc. It is a prescription which the majority of patent medicine manufacturers, and even certain physicians dislike to see published. Few cases, indeed, which will fail to fully yield to its peculiarly soothing and healing influence. Being composed of common every-day vegetable ingredients, which can be gotten from any druggist, it makes up a good, honest and harmless remedy and at small cost.

### Off to Paris to Court.

The Will Hendrix and the Clarence Brown murder cases are set for trial in the federal court at Paris, Texas, March 13. Today U. S. Deputy Marshals Brents, Cummings and Chapman, and several others from here and a number from Stonewall left for Paris as witnesses.

The defendants are fullblood Indians and took advantage of the old act of congress permitting such a change of venue.

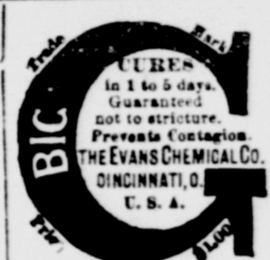
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**THE ORIGINAL LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP**  
**KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE**  
CONTAINING **HONEY AND TAR**

**EARLY RISERS**  
The famous little pills.

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**Wapco Tomatoes**

Fancy, Red Ripe Tomatoes grown especially for us and packed just as soon as picked from the vines, so are firm, fresh and juicy when you open the can that is full. Wapco Brand stands for Extra Standard Grade at Popular Price. If your grocer does not keep Wapco Brand, send us his name.

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Continues in the Real Estate Business

And will give careful and energetic attention to all business entrusted. He has some rare bargains in Ada real estate. Manager for beautiful Sunrise Addition. Office headquarters for prospectors

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## Brick! Brick!! Brick!!!

This ad is for those who need GOOD BRICK and don't know that we have them. Brick are fire-proof and last longer than cement blocks, stone and lumber. A wooden house is an old house in a few years, while a well-built Brick house improves in its looks.

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## OVERDRAFTS

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

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Ada, Ind. Ter

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brand on food products is the emblem of purity. Every thing packed under the White Swan Brand has to be the very best the market supplies, packed while fresh, by improved processes, no coloring nor adulterations of any character used. White Swan is a guarantee of the best that money can buy, so if you are fond of good things to eat, always insist upon White Swan. If your grocer does not keep White Swan, send us his name.

THE Waples-Platter Grocer Co.  
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**HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets**  
A Busy Medicine for Busy People.  
Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor.  
A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Stomach Bowels, Headache and Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.  
GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

## Put Your Loose Dollars on Deposit

Open an account with us—deposit all the cash you don't actually need and you will be surprised how your account will grow.

**1ST NAT'L BANK**

## LOCAL NEWS

### Tell Or Telephone It

If you have visitors and are not ashamed of them—phone number 4 or tell the reporter so. Do likewise if members of your family or neighbors depart or arrive. Don't be bashful.

He had no coat upon his back, But had one on his tongue, And Rocky Mountain Tea, 'it's said, Kept him from being hung. (Bad breath.) G. M. Ramsey.

H. Peck, of Cerrigorbo, Ill., who has been spending the winter in the southern states, stopped off in Ada with R. Tidwell and L. Rock, on his way home.

Mrs. Scrivener, Misses Scrivener and Hatcher, and Mr. Mayfield were here from Stonewall.

Wrinkles are age tellers. Drive them away by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's better than cosmetics. It does the business. 35c Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

Rev. Phelps, representing the Presbyterian missionary work, was in the city today.

Rome Sugg is up from Stonewall.

Mrs. J. R. Fletcher returned from Shawnee where she has been visiting.

It flows like fire through your veins; it does the work. If you're wasting away day by day, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

J. W. Cady, of Atoka, is among the business visitors.

Dick Williams is again at his post at Crowder's after ten days' sickness.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton, chicken specialist. 284-1f

In the front portion of the Scott-Hoard building E. H. Lucas purposes in a few days to put in an up-to-date moving picture theatre.

Miss Vera Carnes [after a week] with her neice, Mrs. R. K. Rollow, went back to Stonewall today.

C. H. Ennis went to Atoka on business.

### SHOWS ADVANCE OF JAPAN.

Crude Methods of Mining Discarded for Most Up-to-Date Ideas.

Near the center of the beautiful mountain island of Shikoku, and standing rather more than 4,000 feet above the waters of the inland sea of Japan, there is a peak of sulphide copper ore which has become a center of industry popularly known throughout the island empire as Sumitomo Bessit. Here, for centuries before the industrial development of the new world was begun by white men, the Japanese were mining in a crude way and carrying the ore on their backs in small wicker baskets (such as are still used for coaling ships at Nagasaki) down the 12 miles of arduous mountain paths to the smelters on the shore of the inland sea.

To-day the marvelous little workers are still at the pursuit of burrowing out the mountain, but a vast change has come over the methods of working, says a writer in the Engineering Magazine. Where in the ancient times only a paltry few hundred baskets of ore were each day borne over the difficult trails, an output of 9,000 tons daily now glides down a great cableway, and is carried from the foot of the slope by railroad to the sea. In short, there is established at Sumitomo Bessit a modern mining plant, modern in all essential details of engineering construction, and the wonder of the transformation is that it has been wrought without the direct assistance of a single foreign engineer.

### HE WORKED HIS "SCIENCE."

New Method Employed by Satisfied and Comfortable Husband.

It is the wife who is the head of the house, and it was she who decided upon the flat—and repented immediately afterward. The building was a new one, scarcely finished, and after the parlor ceiling had fallen twice and the repair man had botched a dozen small jobs she decided to move again. In this she met the lively opposition of the family. They were all content with their rooms and the children begged for a delay. The husband took the matter with calmness and did not enter into the argument after expressing his entire contentment with the present conditions.

The wife worried and went flat hunting, but at last she announced that she had come to the conclusion that they would remain. The husband looked up placidly from his coffee cup. "I knew that several weeks ago," he announced.

"But I only decided this morning," she retorted in surprise.

He smiled pityingly. "Down at the church," he explained, "we have been giving you absent treatment for five weeks. After this you need not say that there is nothing in science."

Then he dodged the sugar bowl.

### Much Used Wedding Present.

A Providence girl, who has been married about six months, had wedding cards a short time ago from an old school friend who had given her a wedding present, which, of course, demanded one in return. Among her wedding presents the Providence girl had duplicates in the shape of two silver card trays, and in a spirit of economy she decided to give one of these to her friend. It was marked with her own initials, but it would be only a matter of a few minutes to have them removed and the proper monogram cut.

She took it to the jeweler and explained what was to be done. He picked up the tray, looked at it closely and smiled. "Madame," said he, "it will be impossible. I have already changed the initials on this same tray five times, and it has worn so thin that I cannot do it again without cutting through the bottom."

### Had Good Eyesight.

A young man from the rural districts went to Boston, and while there visited the Harvard astronomical observatory and was allowed to look through a great telescope at the stars. "What is that star?" he inquired, pointing to a very bright one.

"Oh, that's Aldebaran," replied the attendant.

"Is it very far off?" asked the youth.

"About 10,000,000 miles."

"Then all I can say," said the visitor, "is that you must have wonderfully good eyes to make out that star's name, at that distance, even with that big telescope. It's really most marvelous."

### The Sneerer and His Sneer.

The sneer is an arrested bite. It is a mark of the savage. The man who sneers is that much less of a gentleman. The sneerer would bite if he was not afraid to do so. He is a coward. The sneerer is a savage whether he sneers in print or not. If he writes down his sneers he has not removed himself from the ranks of savagery. He yet remains one of the worst savages, however his English be polished and his style be sparkling. The sneer does turn into a bite when even the savage who indulges in it acquires courage. While he is a coward it remains an arrested bite.—Columbia Herald.

### Thinking of a Noiseless Time.

Mother—Tommy, little boys should be seen and not heard when taking their soup.

Tommy—How long will it be before I can take my soup like papa?

If you have a horse, a cow, a wagon, set of harness or household goods, in fact anything you wish to dispose of, advertise it for sale in the Daily News. Costs only 5c a line, and you can find a ready buyer or a chance to exchange your property to advantage for something you want. In Ada everybody reads the Daily News, and it costs you only a few cents to put your ad before them all.

Spring and Easter millinery. Come Friday afternoon from 2 o'clock until 6 o'clock and catch a glimpse of what's new.—Miss Mitchem at Reed & Harrison's. 302-3t

Miss Amanda James Haynes is visiting in Holdenville this week.

Perry Goldstein was here from Coal-gate overnight.

J. W. Hays was in Stonewall.

Mrs. Kittie Krieger, of Center, took the train here for Muskogee.

M. T. Derrett has arrived from Dallas to assist in the construction of the dam.

The XXth Century club meets with Mrs. Duke Stone this afternoon.

To those who ride I wish to say I will in the future run the Chas. Evans' cab, and assure them of good, prompt service. G. W. Houser. Phone 64. 297-6td

Mrs. J. L. Miles and little Dorothy have gone to Alva, Oklahoma, on account of sickness of Mrs. Miles' sister-in-law.

Hurried meals, lack of exercise are the main causes of dyspepsia. A Ring's Dyspepsia Tablet after each meal aids digestion, improves the appetite. Sold by G. M. Ramsey's drug store. 31

V. E. McInnes, of the Frisco legal department, was here today.

W. A. Walton, traveling car agent for the Frisco, was in the city this morning.

Miss Mitchem will have a first showing of "smart" spring hats Friday and Saturday. Everybody cordially invited to call at Reed & Harrison's. 302-3t

Capt. A. D. Tanner and family have moved out of town and now occupy the John D. Lee place 3 1-2 miles north.

We have limited quantity of the celebrated Allen Long staple cotton seed for sale. Frierson Brothers.

Over Freeman & Co's store. 290-1f D & W.

Judge N. B. Haney and wife of Shawnee are guests at the Harris.

Prof. T. W. Kennedy, of Stonewall, was here returning from Muskogee.

Col. W. T. Cox and wife left today for a visit at Sherman.

Frank Jones was in Stonewall today.

Mrs. P. K. Smith departed this morning for the new home, Vernon, Texas. Mr. Smith went on ahead.

J. M. Wilson, one of Bebee's best citizens, was a visitor in Ada today.

Byron Norrell and Mr. West have gone to Muskogee as delegates from the Ada camp to attend the big Woodman convention today and tomorrow.

Ross Tipton left today for New Mexico to seek out a location in the breezy west.

### They Act Quick.

The loss of a gold watch was advertised in The News one evening and early the next morning a fellow brought in the missing jewelry. News ads act quick. Good for any sort of trouble or business.

### Marriage Licenses.

G. W. Farley, 30, and Vilonie Duncan, 16, Stonewall.

Geo. Stringfellow, 28, and Mattie Richards, 18, Franks.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will steadily destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all Druggists. Price 75c, per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## GET WISE



And patronize our store. You should know that we have a most complete stock of goods in our line. We want YOUR patronage. Courteous treatment is a paramount issue with us. Try us.

In our store is an experienced and up-to-date pharmacist who will take pains to see that your prescriptions are filled just as your doctor would have them.

**GWIN, MAYES & CO.**

The Druggists  
Successors to W. T. Nolen

### Saved Her Son's Life.

The happiest mother in the little town of Ava, Mo., is Mrs. S. Ruppee. She writes: "One year ago my son was down with such serious lung trouble that our physician was unable to help him; when, by our druggist's advice I began giving him Dr. King's New Discovery, and I soon noticed improvement. I kept this treatment up for a few weeks when he was perfectly well. He has worked steadily since at carpenter work. Dr. King's New Discovery saved his life." Guaranteed best cough and cold cure by G. M. Ramsey, Druggist. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

### For Sale Cheap.

I have a stock of caskets and coffins and burial suits that will be sold cheap for cash.—G. W. Hilton, 3rd door west Citizens Bank. 284-1f

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DENTIST

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Rooms P and O, Phone 39  
Office Hours: 8 to 12; 1 to 5:30

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General Practice and Surgery. Special attention to diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses fitted with ophthalmoscope and trial lenses. X-Ray treatment and static electricity. Office in Duncan Block. Phones 161-240.

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Will do a general Civil and Criminal Practice.  
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Over Citizens National Bank  
Ada, Ind. Ter.

The DAILY OKLAHOMAN will issue a special 80-page edition Sunday, March 10, giving a descriptive write-up of Oklahoma. Get a copy at the News stand.

## ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Is given up to be best. Do

Largest Agency Work

of any plant in this Territory.

## WANT A BATH?

Then get a good clean one, Hot or Cold, at High & Litzman's Barber Shop, next door to English Kitchen.

## Five Pennies A Day

Pays for a telephone in your home. Can you afford to be without it? Order today. Call the Local Manager for a representative of the Contract Department.

**PIONEER TELEPHONE and TELEGRAPH CO.**

## The Nickel Store

We sell for CASH. We buy for cash; that's why our quality, our quantity, our prices satisfy you, please you far and away beyond the offerings of usual credit conditions.

Sweet California navel oranges per doz. .... 25c

Apples—A fine lot fresh from the cold storage every few days. Fancy Pippin and wine sap, doz. .... 15c

### Our Candy Department

Stock fresh and price just one half what you have been paying at confectionery stores. Your choice of any of the following candies only 12c per pound:

Assorted Cocoa Bon Bons  
Assorted Ice Cream Kisses  
Chocolate Cream Wafers  
Starlight Kisses  
Cream Caramel Dates  
Fig Caramels  
Cream Dates  
Peach Stones  
Cream Maplelins  
Cream Chocolates.

### Specials in Tablets

Tablets, both for pencil and ink, ruled and unruled ..... 5c

Western linen tablets, the popular cloth finish paper ..... 10c

Highland linen bond tablets, of Eaton Hurlburt manufacture.... 15c

We also in this department handle memo Books, D. E. Ledgers, S. E. Ledgers, Cash Books, Journals, Stenographers Supplies, Inks, Mucilage, Glue, Pens and Pencils. Autograph pencils we sell 2 for 5c.

### Bargains in Gloves

Ladies' golf gloves 25c and 50c. Black cashmere gloves 25c

Men's Gloves. We would like to emphasize the good values we give for 75c and \$1.00. Also sell any size plain duck gloves for 10c a pair or 3 pairs 25c.

Come here for your household and kitchen supplies. We sell everything in Tinware, Granite-ware, Shelf Hardware, Queensware Glassware, and most any kind of ware. All over the store you find "Spic Span" new goods at the lowest possible prices. Come and see us whether you want to buy or not.

### Garden Seeds.

Choice new crop 1907 Seeds, the large full weight packages, 2 for 5c. Also sell everything in the bulk seeds at half the usual prices.

Notions. Safety Pins from 2c to 5c dozen. Brass Pins 5c. Pearl Buttons smooth and clear, 5c dz., etc. Hosiery and Handkerchiefs at Bargain prices.

## The Nickel Store

S. M. SHAW,  
Prop.



**La France SHOE For Women**

Back of the success of every standard article there's a cause. Behind the constantly growing popularity of the La France among those women who have learned from experience to appreciate true shoe-worth when they find it, stands the invincible rule of its manufacturers never, under any circumstances, to use any but the very best materials in its construction. From the very first pair to the last shipment received at this store, every La France shoe has offered proof of the honest standards of its makers. Once worn, the La France will become popular with you, too.

**\$3. AND \$3.50**

S. E. CHAPMAN  
Ada, I. T.

## ARMSTRONG, BYRD & CO

—OF OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.—

Have been established in the PIANO and ORGAN business in Oklahoma and Indian Territories for ten years. They are the largest music house in the Southwest, and carry a magnificent line of thirty-two of the best known and most reliable makes of Pianos. They sell from \$50.00 to \$75.00 cheaper than any other firm sell Pianos of the same grade and quality.

IF I THE MARKET FOR A PIANO FIGURE WITH THEM

## YES WE HAVE IT

"COMPOUND KARGON" and "VIRGIN OIL OF PINE"

You have been reading about these remedies in the newspapers. We can fill all prescriptions containing them.

**G. M. RAMSEY, Druggist**

Successor to Clark Drug Co.

Relic of the Ancients.



From stereograph, copyright, by Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.  
Photograph of the Tiger Hill Pagoda at Soochow, China. It is known as the "Leaning Tower" and is said to be 1,300 years old.

WHERE WOMEN RULE.

CONSERVATIVE AND EXCLUSIVE  
WELSH VILLAGE.

Town of Langwm Remarkable for Its  
Self-Effacing Male Population—  
Girls Kept Within Bounds  
Until Recently.

London.—The county of Pembroke in Wales is perhaps able to find as much food for the antiquary as any two others in Great Britain. It is a land of ruined palaces and castles, ancient churches and still more ancient history. Its towns of any size are few and far between and for this reason its nooks and corners are a little visited by the quickly passing tourist, while the townspeople themselves seem neither to know much nor care about the hundred and one interests in the hamlets and villages across the North sea.

A marked case in point is the little village of Langwm.

Little Langwm is now practically the only self-contained community in the county able to point to a direct descent from their lusty ancestors across the North sea.

So conservative and exclusive are this little village's traditions that it was not till quite recently that its daughters were allowed to go forth into what must have been to them a very foreign domestic service or marry beyond its bounds, while their tongue to this day is far less intelligible to their neighbors than it must have been in late Norman days when the Flemish language only differed in the dialect from that in fairly general use in England.

But it is in their domestic affairs

that the dwellers in Langwm differ so widely from their neighbors. Here woman rules the roost in a fashion that would commend itself to many of her English sisters. A recent writer had it that none but the gentler sex sat in the village council and that the misdeemeanors of husbands were swiftly dealt with by a selected bevy of Langwm beauty in painful but thorough fashion.

This imputation was much resented at the time and the libeller would no doubt have been as carelessly "attended to" had he put in an appearance in the village.

There is no question, however, that Langwm womanhood has an equal word in the conduct of this temperate and well-governed little colony, while its men folk are of the self-effacing order, calking and mending in the creek and rarely found upon the roads outside the village.

One has only to meet a group of its sturdy womenfolk hawking fish upon the rough roads of Haverfordwest, Tenby and Pembroke clad in short red and blue homespun skirts, thick worsted stockings and mighty hobnailed boots, with pea jacket and soft felt hat as a picturesque finish, to grasp the fact that mere man would have but a poor show in wordy or physical argument with one of them.

Woman rules here as much upon the water as upon land. Langwm's little fleet of boats is almost invariably manned—one should almost say womanned—by two women and a man, with one of the former at the tiller. The intricate windings and currents of the upper Haven, or a dirty day beyond it, are taken with equal skill and philosophy by these sturdy Amazons.

IS AN ATHLETE AT EIGHTY.

Lois Lewis of Girard College Is Oldest Physical Instructor.

Philadelphia.—Girard college boasts of probably the oldest physical instructor in the United States. His name is Lois Lewis and this is his seventy-eighth winter. For 33 years he has been teaching and directing the boys of Girard college in their gymnastic work, and so understandingly does he deal with them that they consider their hours spent daily under his instruction not hours of work, but hours of positive pleasure. One and all they leave the college with a great affection for the old professor.

Professor Lewis is the son of an old soldier. Although German, his father fought valiantly under Napoleon in the memorable battle of Waterloo.

Lois Lewis was born in Frankfurt-on-Main, Germany. When a mere boy he was noted for his proficiency in every branch of gymnastics and made quite a record as an athlete. Following in the footsteps of his father, Lois, too, became a soldier. The future began to look very rosy for young Lewis when, in the year 1848, a revolution put the fatherland in a turmoil. Lewis got mixed up in this revolution and, unfortunately for himself, was on the wrong side. He was forced to flee from the country.

Lewis arrived in Philadelphia in 1850. In a little hall on Poplar street, between Second and Third streets, he helped to form an organization which eventually developed into the Philadelphia Turngemeinde, which now flourishes in its home at 429 North Sixth street. From 1859 to

1887 he conducted a gymnasium at Ninth and Arch streets.

Thirty-three years ago Lewis was asked to become the physical instructor at Girard college. He accepted the offer, and his name was dignified by the little professor.

Professor Lewis' long term of service at the college has been one continual success. The weight of his 78 years apparently hampers him not in the least in his work.

Old Document Found.

Denver.—A bill of lading for 20 African slaves, and dated July 14, 1897, was found a few days ago by John W. Anthony, of Denver, while rummaging in the bottom of a trunk. The document is 100 years old. The paper announces the shipment of the 20 negroes to his father. The slaves were bought in Charleston, S. C., and shipped to New Orleans. The bill of lading is signed by William Flagg, master of the old ship Carolina. One of the peculiar notations is this: "Shipped in good order and well condition." The freight charges on the slaves from Charleston to New Orleans were \$500.

Glass in Fish's Stomach.

Palm Beach, Fla.—While fishing on the Ocean pier a negro pulled in a good-sized kingfish. On cleaning it he felt something hard in the stomach, and pulled out a pair of rimless glasses attached to a delicate gold chain, evidently intended for a woman's wear. The glasses were not broken. Emerson D. Prescott, of Washington, a patron of the Royal Poinciana hotel, heard of the discovery and bought the glasses from the fisherman.

SLIDE SAVED TRAIN

DITCHED RUNAWAY LOCOMOTIVE JUST IN TIME.

Engineer Tells of Experience That Put a Few Gray Hairs in His Head But Ended Better Than He Expected.

"After comin' aroun' the bend in Collins Cut," said the fat engineer, "I just glanced back to see that the markers, those little red and green tall lights which mark the end of a train, were there all right. I leaned 'way out of the cab window 'n' counted the sleepers as they swept aroun' the curve.

"Yes, there they came all right, burnin' like bright little emeralds 'n' I knew my train was all together 'n' followin' me safely down the hill.

"The night I am speakin' of I was runnin' the Sunrise Limited, as the fast eastern express on our road was called. It was in March, 'n' gentle spring was already spreadin' her velvet touch over the land.

"We had had a deal of snow that winter, 'n' now that it was commencin' to thaw out the stuff was makin' quite a little trouble for the management, slidin' aroun' the tracks from the mountainside, sometimes bringin' a piece of hill with it.

"As I glanced back along the sides of the glistenin' coaches I was attracted by a glare along the rails behind my train, 'n' in another second a headlight flashed aroun' the curve out of the cut in our wake, makin' very fast time. Even a blind baggage car could see that one of the engines in the yards at the top of the mountain had slipped her throttle 'n' was running away, chasin' us down the mountain.

"I was some set back for a second, but the only thing for me to do was to turn on a full head of steam 'n' make the best time I could, which wasn't the safest thing in the world to do, as we generally hold 'em pretty steady comin' down the mountain; but I must show a clean brace of tail-lights to the runaway.

"She wasn't quite a quarter of a mile behind us, 'n' looked like a fiery comet comin' down the rails, as her firebox door was open, 'n' with every exhaust of the engine the flare from her furnace lit up the sky. My engine bounded forward under a wide open throttle 'n' our race for the lives of those in the rear sleepers was on.

"Notwithstandin' the weight of the train behind me, which should give me a little advantage over the light engine comin' down the hill, we didn't seem to be able to shake her off. An' each time I trusted myself to glance back at her she seemed to be crawlin' up on us a little.

"If I could keep a few yards of moonlight between the pilot of the wildcat 'n' my rear car until we got down the mountain 'n' started up the Razorback on the other side, I could drop my engine down 'n' leave the runaway behind, as by that time she would be out of steam 'n' lay down like a runaway horse which has shot its bolt. But I wouldn't bet more 'n' 50 B. R. T. rebate checks to a rag doll that we would beat her down.

"However, we had a fightin' chance 'n' the way I pounded my good old en-

gine sent the hot coals out of the stack. I was gettin' a little nervous, as that light engine hung onto our trail like a bicycle cop after a speedin' auto.

"Comin' aroun' through Rocky Holler I got several chills down my spine as the watchman down by the little shanty was hysterically wavin' his green lantern at me. Durin' the thaw the road had several watchmen stationed at intervals down the mountain to watch for landslides 'n' warn approachin' trains. Evidently there was a dangerous spot in the track that the watchman had discovered 'n' he was signalin' me to come ahead with extreme caution.

"I sure was up against the real thing now. A wildcat engine pressin' me hard on the rear flank 'n' a dangerous piece of track ahead. This was a case where the rule book failed to help me out.

"Take a safe course 'n' run no risks," says the railroad Hoyle in chilly black double face type. Which was the safe course for me?

"I did some quick calculatin' 'n' concluded to keep a full head of steam up. I've read in newspapers about trains beatin' their way through slight landslides 'n' there was a show for me to cut through it if there was one ahead.

"But if I stopped my train that engine behind would be half through those sleepin' cars, killin' 'n' maimin' the snoozin' passengers. It would be safer for me personally to slow down, but I was not so selfish as to consider my personal safety.

"So we bounced along by the frightened watchman with speed not a whit diminished. I fairly stopped breathin' as we whirled down through the Holler. Just beyond the watchman's shanty I felt a tremblin' of the track 'n' my engine keeled badly.

"I clung to the cab, expectin' every second we would slide down the bank. But we kept the rails. We had barely passed the shanty when there was a rumblin' sound 'n' I saw the little watchman's cabin swirlin' down the bank.

"The heavy weight of our train at its terrific speed had caused the track to give way 'n' slide out just in time to take the runaway engine with it 'n' we were out of our bad mess."

Cassatt Kept His Horses.

A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, always liked a good horse. When he was a vice president and director of the line he owned a small string of racers, which he entered as representatives of the "Willowbrook" stable. At that time Mr. Roberts was president, and as there was a strong quaker influence in the board Mr. Cassatt was gently reminded that he should resign from Willowbrook or from the road. He did both at once and ere long it became evident that he was taking up with the Reading railroad. The Pennsylvania people hastily requested him to resume relations with them. Mr. Cassatt placidly assented, but thereafter his horses were entered under his own name.

Rolling Stock.

In round numbers \$380,000,000 was spent last year in rolling stock for the American railroads. More than \$250,000,000 was spent in freight cars. A freight car costs about \$1,000, and a passenger car about \$8,000. The price of a good engine is about \$15,000.

ELECTRIC AND STEAM LINES.

Motor Has by No Means Supplanted the Locomotive.

The competition of electric interurban railways with present systems of steam railways, in the passenger traffic, has of late become a matter of some popular interest and of more or less common speculation. Much is currently written and spoken upon the subject; but of these discussions a certain amount seems to be based upon sensational statements or upon mistaken ideas as to the comparative standing of the two railway industries at the present time. The interurban

older power in almost all important particulars, but until that time comes the competition of electric roads with steam railways will be confined principally to competition in special features of transportation and to certain localities, where particular conditions bring the two systems into conflict.

This restriction of the competition to special features and localities has been and is the keynote of the situation with regard to any contest for business between the electric and the steam roads. The electric railway equipment of the earlier days involved certain technical limitations which made the system unsuited for any but comparatively short distance transportation. These features are now

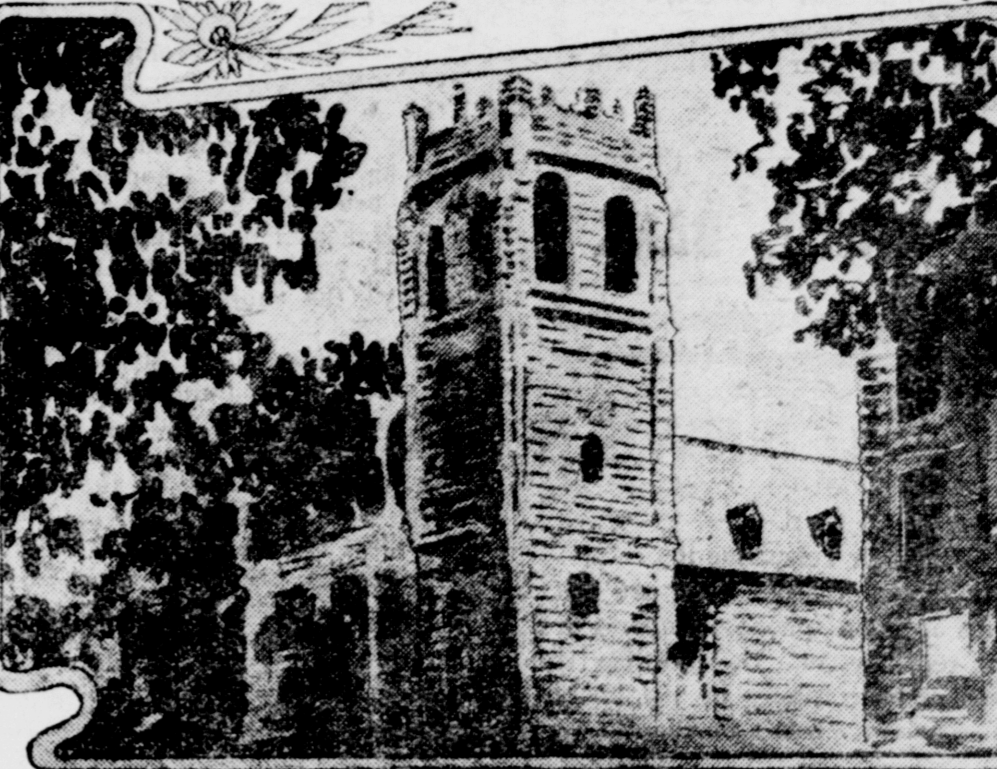


Section Well Supplied with Both Lines.

electric railways have accomplished a remarkable growth in the last decade, and they are firmly established today as a part of the transportation system of this country. The new motive power has become a competitor of steam, but not to the extent of driving the latter from the field, as is occasionally said. So far as the economic aspects of the competition are concerned, the time seems not yet to have come when the electric motor can successfully supplant the steam locomotive in all those forms of service which have been developed and standardized by the latter. From the beginning certain fields of usefulness have been particularly favorable to the electric motive power. These fields of adaptability, however, are continually broadening, so that perhaps in a few years the electric motor may be a successful rival to the

largely removed as far as the technical limitations are concerned; but, notwithstanding the most recent developments, the electric roads still are favored as a means of transportation far more for short distance than for long distance travel. And even for short distance travel, the electric service will appeal chiefly to certain classes of patronage only. Many passengers are always found who prefer to travel by the steam trains. With regard to the merchandise traffic, the sphere of the electric road has been still more limited, and the amount of freight carried by them, except in a few isolated instances, has been insignificant. The competition of interurban roads has been specialized rather than general, for the roads are at present confined principally to a comparative small section of this country.

OLD SEWANEE to CELEBRATE



Fifty years ago next July the University of the South, or Sewanee university as it is best known, was organized, and in recognition of that beginning a celebration is to be held this year on the beautiful grounds of the institution on the high plateau of Lookout mountain to which will come the Sewanee clans from all parts of the union.

In the clan of Sewanee are such men as President Roosevelt and J. Pierpont Morgan, both of whom have promised to climb the mountain and join in the festivities. Neither the president nor the millionaire-financier are graduates of Sewanee, but because of the help they have given the university they are counted as members of the clan.

President Roosevelt was particularly attracted to Sewanee because of its attitude in the negro problem. He believes that the university will play a conspicuous part in years to come in solving the question. The president is intimately acquainted with the vice chancellor of the university, Prof. B. L. Wiggins, and has professed the greatest confidence in Sewanee's work.

Sewanee teaches its students that the perplexing race problem is to be solved only by appealing to the moral side of the negro. Intellectual development of the colored man, Sewanee believes, cannot alone accomplish the work. The working out of this problem is only a part of Sewanee's ambition. The university, broad in principle upon every question, aims to turn out men who are able to grasp the hardest questions of life, guided by the spirit of altruism.

That was the spirit that inspired the founders of the University of the South when, in 1857, the corner stone for the institution was laid on Lookout mountain. Sewanee has turned out thousands of graduates, and to-day there are lawyers, doctors and business men of great prominence throughout the country who will say that it was the influence of Sewanee that was in a great measure responsible for their success.

J. Pierpont Morgan became interested in Sewanee five years ago, when he attended a convention of the Episcopal church, in Minneapolis. The university, although run under the auspices of the Episcopal church, is non-sectarian in character. Bishop Dudley, of Kentucky, told the convention of Sewanee's work, and Morgan became deeply impressed.

When the convention was over Mr. Morgan told Bishop Dudley that he would like to help such a university as he had described. A few weeks later the millionaire sent the university \$50,000 in railroad bonds and followed it up with a cash donation of \$15,000. Later he has promised another donation.

There are over 500 New Yorkers who were graduated from Sewanee. They have organized an alumni society with Dr. John H. P. Hodgson, of Washington Square, as president. Dr. Hodgson's father, Rev. Dr. Telfair Hodgson, was so fond of the university that for 15 years he gave his services gratis as its vice chancellor. At his death, some years ago, Mrs. Hodgson, his widow, erected a memorial chapel costing \$23,000 on the university grounds. Rev. Mr. Hodgson, during his service as vice chancellor, presented the university with a medical infirmary.

Sewanee has a romantic history. Bishop Folk, of Louisiana, was its founder. A son of the bishop, Dr. William M. Folk, is a prominent practitioner in this city. Bishop Folk enlisted interest among southerners and got a donation of 10,000 acres of forest land on a high plateau on Lookout mountain. Besides this, he was promised endowments aggregating \$3,000,000.

The day the corner stone was laid—a bleak afternoon in October—5,000 men and women made their way to the mountain top. In the town of Sewanee, at the foot of the mountain, there were not nearly enough houses to shelter them for the night. Tents were pitched in the forest, and there the visitors rested. There was an immense barbecue, and the occasion was one long to be remembered.

Several wooden structures were put up for the workmen, and the work of building the University of the South was soon begun. Then came the civil war. The Seventh Illinois troops one

day, in traveling from Nashville to Chattanooga, came upon the crude university huts. The work of putting up the stone buildings had not been started.

The soldiers saw the marble cornerstone and at once became inquisitive. The stone was blown open with gunpowder, and the papers that Bishop Polk had placed there were abstracted. The wooden huts were set afire, and nothing remained to mark the site of the Sewanee university but ashes.

During the war Bishop Polk, at the head of a Louisiana regiment, was killed. When the war was over the trustees again took up the work of building the university. They found that the fortunes of those who had promised the \$3,000,000 of endowments had been dissipated. There were no funds with which to continue the work.

Discouraged, the trustees concluded to abandon the idea. Under the grant by which they came into possession of the forest land, they would lose title if no buildings were put up by the fall of 1868. Bishop Quintard, whose brothers now own the Quintard iron works, of this city, realized that Sewanee was doomed unless something was hurriedly done. Three days before possession would have passed from the trustees, the bishop and two others went up to the mountain and planted a rustic cross, after the fashion of the warriors under William the Conqueror. The next day they hastily nailed together two rough huts, and the day after that the University of the South was an established fact.

The bishop and his two confreres sent for their sons, and for a year the boys were the only students of Sewanee. In the meantime the trustees had got more funds and stone buildings were beginning to assume shape. Inside of two years there were half a dozen fine structures in that wilderness, with several professors and 50 students.

Now Sewanee has an average of 550 students every year. Its domain has been beautiful until to-day the grounds are among the finest to be found in the world. There are magnificent residences for the professors, while many of the friends or alumni of the university have houses on the grounds and live there the year round. One of the things on which Sewanee prides itself is this community. The university population, outside of the students, is over 1,000.

Sewanee's professors, unlike those of some universities, are never kept under restraint of speech. Freedom of the chair is one of the things for which the university is famed. An instance of this is furnished in the case of Prof. Trent, now professor of English literature at Columbia university. The professor was, until a few years ago, one of the faculty of Sewanee.

Although a southerner, Prof. Trent has some views on the war that are not in accord with those of all other southerners. Some years ago the professor wrote his impressions in a book which he called "Southern Statesmen of the Old Regime."

The book created a furor in the south, as Prof. Trent had expected. Staunch friends of the university in the south wrote scorching letters to the trustees, demanding that Prof. Trent be instantly dismissed. They considered his utterance intolerable. The reply of the trustees was substantially this:

"We allow free speech at Sewanee. That is one of the cardinal principles of our institution. Prof. Trent has not violated the university's law; therefore we cannot see any reason why he should be called to account. He will remain with Sewanee as long as he is true to its principles."

Prof. Trent remained until he married and then moved to New York city.

Long Distance.

"Where are you going, old chap?" asked the first youth.

"Going to send Myrtilla a kiss through the telephone," replied the second youth.

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## LIVELY ELECTION AND EACH CANDIDATE STILL HOPEFUL

Tuesday's democratic city primary was not by any means the liveliest in the history of the town, but it was the liveliest in many a month. For nearly every office there was a contest, and the way each candidate and his supporters "did about" showed no one inclined to "lay down."

As usual it was some time after the hour set before the various ward boards got together and the voting began. But once begun there was a pretty steady stream of voters in the booths from then on.

This, the second time it has been undertaken to enforce the Australian system of voting shows our people are readily adjusting themselves to the change—to the abandonment of the old "scratching" system.

To say who has won in the election at this time—3.30—would be a mere guess. The most sagacious admit that. But the voting at this hour numbers as follows: 1st ward 117; 2nd ward 43, 3rd ward 73; 4th ward 107. In the last city primary the total votes in the respective wards were 145, 100, 103 and 148. It is thought the balloting today will be about as heavy as a year ago.

### BEGGARS ORGANIZED

Have a System Which Works Admirably in Territory.

Muskogee, I. T., March 12.—The confession of a beggar who operated in Indian Territory towns, and was finally caught in the dragnet of the police, has disclosed the fact that the beggars of the new state have a perfect organization, presided over by a president elected by them. There are other officers, the principal one being the manager, who outlines the route to be taken by the cripple or the blind man. The "workers" operate on a commission basis and their routes are changed often enough to give each fair play.

The man who told the story to the police says that it is not necessary for a man to be a cripple in order to become a member of the organization, and intimates that "putting on a good front" was about all that was required. The money which is turned in is used for the benefit of the society. It is said that headquarters have been established at Muskogee and Oklahoma City. There is a great number of beggars in this part of the country. Many are blind, and others crippled. The majority credit their disfigurement to mine disasters.

### Supply the Cannery.

The time is now on when the truck farmer should decide just what to plant in the way of tomatoes, beans, cucumbers, etc. The Ada cannery will be ready in due time for all products suitable for packing, and will do you right in the way of purchasing your berries, peaches, etc., or will can them on the shares. The Acme or the Stone tomatoes are the very best for canning and shipping purposes.

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## PROHIBITION SUBMITTED BY VOTE OF 69 TO 13

Guthrie, Ok., March 12.—The provision separately submitting the prohibition question in its application to the entire new state passed finally in the convention yesterday by a vote of 69 to 13 against. When the convention met last November there were fifty-two for constitutional prohibition, forty-two for local option and eighteen for separate submission. To practically reverse the situation, it developed early in the session that unless the question was sent to the people for an expression there would be no action taken. This ends one of the most earnestly contested movements before the convention and one which attracted more general attention from both Territories.

The convention completed the executive department by making it impossible for the Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor and Treasurer to immediately succeed themselves after the second election. Attorney General and Superintendent of Public Instruction were eliminated from the inhibition. All officials will be eligible to succeed each other and all terms begin with the day the state is admitted to the Union, and the first expire in January, 1911. The minimum age limit is 30 years and residence in the Territories three years.

Any person may waive a jury trial and have the case presented to the judge. His verdict shall have the same effect as if it had been rendered by a jury.

Perpetuities and monopolies shall never be allowed.

A lively contest ensued over the adoption of the public buildings report, during which some of the delegates called into question the power of Congress to locate the new state's capitol in Guthrie until 1913. This stipulation is made in the enabling act and being recited in the report Mr. Haskell carried a motion to strike it out. Mr. Williams of Durant suggested if the convention wanted statehood it had better follow the enabling act, to which Mr. Haskell retorted that he favored accepting terms of the act as far as Congress had the power to impose.

It was agreed that the matter of capitol location be sent to the schedule committee to figure out. Then Mr. Haskell came forward with a resolution permanently locating the present Oklahoma educational institutions where they now are, and providing for the location of three additional normal schools in Indian Territory, three already being in Oklahoma, the committee to select the new sites. This went on quickly to the table under the usual motion, with the understanding, however, that the subject is to be dealt

with in the schools.

No promises are made as to the proposed Indian Territory normals and unless they are it is predicted the whole matter of location will be passed to the legislature, save as to the existing institutions. The policy was practically established that no money is to be spent for capitol conveniences other than rent, etc., at the present location.

### AFRAID DAM MAY BURST.

Farmer Down the Valley Fears Another Johnstown Flood.

J. S. Buck, a farmer living on Boggy some two miles below the site for Ada's waterworks dam, called on The News editor today and evinced some fear on the part of himself and neighbors that the dam may break some time and precipitate another Johnstown flood upon the settlers in the valley below. He urged the editor to write a vigorous article imploring the city to build the dam doubly strong so that no such catastrophe could occur.

The editor tried to dispel the fears of Mr. Buck. While no expert engineer, he gave it as his opinion that if the dam should some time break loose the volume of water released could scarcely imperil life further than a few hundred yards below; also that the city council had exercised the utmost care and had selected the best engineers to build the reservoir according to the most modern principles of engineering.

We trust Mr. Buck and his neighbors will lose no sleep over such fancied danger.

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and remember the next time you suffer pain—caused by damp weather—when our head nearly bursts from neuralgia—try Ballard's Snow Liniment. It will cure you. A prominent business man of Hempstead, Texas, writes: "I have used your liniment. Previous to using it I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism and Neuralgia. I am pleased to say that now I am free from these complaints. I am sure I owe this to your liniment."—Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

### A Baby

should be sunshine in the home, and will be if you give it White's Cream Vermifuge, the greatest worm medicine ever offered to suffering humanity. This remedy is becoming the permanent fixture of well regulated households—A mother, with children, can't get along without a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge in the house. It is the purest and best medicine money can buy.—Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

## BACK TO THE BARS FOR ORD-- ATTEMPT TO KILL THE CHARGE

Ord Rich, the frequent guest of prisons, he who at the last term of court here was acquitted of a charge of rape, is in jail again.

He and Dan Crooks—so the testimony ran at the examining trial this morning—were flocking together Monday night and sauntered off toward "the flats." Later Dan showed up with a broken head, and Rich by officers was found in bed with a slingshot on his person, which one officer says he tried to conceal under the quilt. The weapon is a heavy iron tap with a string attached.

Dan says when the two had reached a dark, obscure place on the railroad track suddenly he was dealt a terrific blow on the back of the head; that, running away in terror he encountered two other men, whereupon Rich disappeared. Dan bled profusely and several stitches had to be taken in his head. It is said he had earlier in the night flashed some money.

After the preliminary hearing this morning Rich was held to await the action of the grand jury at Ardmore in April and his bond set at \$2,000. The charge is assault with intent to kill.

### Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the city of Ada, Indian Territory, on Tuesday, April the 2nd, 1907, at the places hereinafter named, for the purpose of electing a

Mayor, Recorder, Marshal, Treasurer, two Aldermen from each ward and such other officers as are or may be provided for by ordinance of the said city.

Said election will be held at the following places, in said city, to-wit:

Ward No. 1 in the frame building one door north from the Commercial hotel.

Ward No. 2 at the John B. Beard building on the East side of Broadway between Main and 10th street.

Ward No. 3 at the United States Commissioner's court room.

Ward No. 4 at the frame building on the East side of Townsend avenue between Main and 12th streets.

The polls will be opened and closed and the election conducted as provided by the election laws in force in the Indian Territory.

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J. P. Wood, Mayor.

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## CHILDREN RECEIVE BIG REWARD FOR SAVING TRAIN

Muskogee, I. T., March 12.—Two children, a little son and daughter of Jim Whetstone, living near Henryetta, saved a fast freight from plunging into a burning trestle the other night, and they have been given \$1,000 each by the railroad company as a reward for their brave work.

The children live near the Frisco tracks where the trestle burned. They saw the fire and tried to telephone to the station agent at Henryetta, but the agent did not hear or would not answer the phone. It was at night and the trestle could not be seen but a little way. The children knew that the train would go into the ravine if it was not stopped. They secured a lantern and as fast as they could run, hastened up the track waving the lantern as they ran. The engineer saw the signal and stopped his heavy train just in time. It is reported that as soon as the railroad officials heard of it they sent a check for \$1,000 to each of the children.

The children are of Indian blood and in addition to the money they received from the railroad they have allotments of valuable coal land from which they receive immense royalties.

### Not As Good As Pontotoc.

T. D. McKeown, accompanied by W. P. Chism, of Francis, returned this morning from a business trip to New Mexico. Tom thinks it a mightily overrated region. It made his heart sad to see the great hordes of immigrants rushing in to get a tract on those semi-barren plains. "I wouldn't swap Pontotoc county for the whole territory of New Mexico," declares Tom.

### Frisco Spreading Out at Francis.

It is reported the Frisco is acquiring more land at Francis and purposes to build a lot more of side trackage, all of which does not indicate any strong disposition on the part of the company to remove the shops to Ada.

## STATE COMMITTEE URGES JUNE 1 FOR PRIMARY DAY

Guthrie, Ok., March 12.—The State Democratic Executive Committee was in session yesterday and recommended to the general committee of the new state that primary election be ordered for the first Saturday in June (June 1). This recommendation will be presented at the meeting in Tulsa to be held on the second day following adjournment of the convention.

It is understood that the convention will adopt the opinion of its legal advisory committee, that it has no authority to provide mandatory primaries of the first election, but it is relying upon the Democratic committee to do so, which is authorized by the

existing Oklahoma laws. The Democratic Executive Committee will address a note to the republican committee asking the latter to join in ordering a primary for June, which cause both parties to nominate in a like manner and on the same day.

The supreme election board recently named by the convention was also in session here yesterday and organized. John M. Young of Lawton was made chairman, J. C. McClelland of Pond Creek was made vice-chairman and J. E. Wyands of Muskogee is the secretary. The other two representatives are D. N. Robb of Atoka and Dyke Ballinger of Anadarko, both being republicans.

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For State Representative.  
RANDOLPH LAURENCE.

For State Treasurer  
J. A. MENEFEE

For Circuit Judge  
EUGENE E. WHITE

For Clerk of Supreme Court  
E. C. PATTON

For County Judge  
J. P. WOOD  
A. M. CROXTON

For County Attorney  
ROBT WIMBISH  
B. C. KING

For Sheriff  
ROBERT NESTER  
A. A. (GUS) BOBBITT  
L. E. (LEM) MITCHELL  
JAMES D. GAAR  
J. E. (ED) FUSSELL

For County Clerk  
C. A. (CHARLIE) POWERS  
W. S. (SAM) KERR  
H. WOODARD  
M. F. DEW.

For District Clerk  
W. T. COX

For County Treasurer  
J. C. CATES  
C. K. DAVENPORT  
J. K. SCROGGIN

For Register of Deeds  
A. C. BRAY  
GARY KITCHENS  
C. K. HARGIS  
A. L. MILES.

For County Coroner  
DR. JOHN W. DAVENPORT

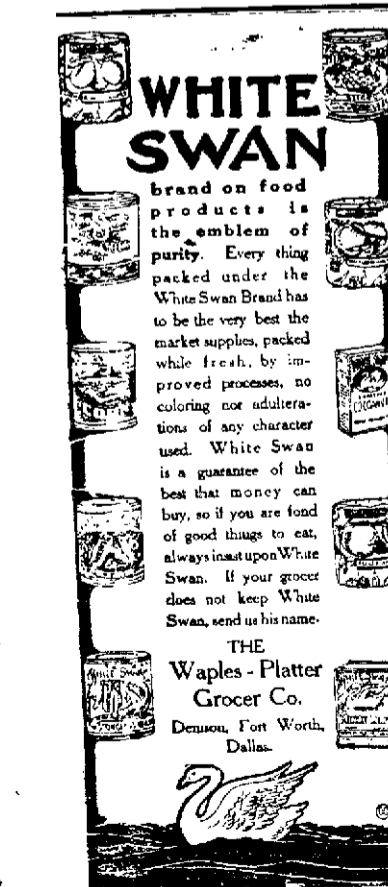
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## TEACHES DOGS A LESSON.

Animals on One Letter Carrier's Route Never Attack Him Twice.

"No one comes in contact with all sorts of dogs more than the letter carrier," said the man in gray as the interviewer trudged along beside him. "Take it outside the business districts and every other family has a dog. Many of them I pay no attention to, but about one out of five aches to get his teeth into my legs at first sight. It is a part of my duty to teach such curs a lifelong lesson."

"Do you kick them?" was asked.  
"That would be foolish. I carry here in my side pocket about a quarter of a pound of dry fine cut tobacco. You see it is almost as fine as snuff. The dog that means to bite you won't come charging down with a roar. He sneaks up behind and gives a jump in. I am ready for it. Without seeming to be watching, I know where he is, and at the right moment he gets the tobacco dust in his eyes. Then there is a circus. That dog goes through such a performance as you never witnessed, and his owner, man or woman, indulges in all sorts of threats. I deliver the mail and say nothing and go on. The dog's eyes are sore for a fortnight, and it is afterward meets me on the street he will drop his tail and make a bolt for home. It's a lesson he never forgets, and I believe it increases his owner's respect for Uncle Sam's uniform."

## ALL ARGUMENT AT AN END.

Youthful Logic That Completely Silenced Mother.

A small girl of ten was starting to consume a tower of graham crackers that she had ingeniously built at the table. Her parents remonstrated with her. The girl persisted and was finally sent to bed for disobedience.

The next morning after her father had gone down to the office she turned to her mother with an expression of resignation and the words:

"Well, how long is this going to last? I suppose I've got to stand it for the present, but just wait till I grow up and then I'm going to do exactly what I please."

"But Carol," argued her mother, a bit alarmed at the child's persistence, "I'm grown up and I don't always do what I want to."

"Well," remarked Carol, with an air of conviction which contained a prophecy, "all I have to say is that you are very foolish."

The argument was unanswerable and the mother lapsed into silence.

## Headed That Way.

The late Hon. Amasa Norcross of Fitchburg, Mass., who ably represented his district for three successive terms in congress, told the following story with evident enjoyment.

In the early days of his practice as a lawyer he was employed as attorney for a man who complained of a neighbor for trespassing upon his premises who among other things said that when he went to talk with his neighbor about it that individual used very threatening and abusive language.

In cross-examining the defendant upon the witness stand Mr. Norcross asked:

"What did you say to my client when he came to see you about trespassing on his premises?"

"I told him to go to the devil."

"Well, did he go?"

"I think he did, sir for I noticed that he started off directly toward your office."

## Hogs' Strange Behavior.

Hogs over near the good church of Providence are acting queerly here recently. One of my grave, dignified stewards was telling me about it the other day.

"Brother W—," said he, "a strange thing is happening over in our community. 'What in the world is it?' said I. 'Well,' replied my steward, 'it's the hogs. They are acting as if never saw them before. They are actually rubbing their tails off. 'You don't tell me—rubbing their tails off?'"

"Steward—'Yes, sir, it's a fact. It seems it is some sort of a disease that peculiarly affects that part of the hog's anatomy, and he goes to a pine tree and rubs until the tail is excommunicated. We have more hobtail hogs in my section than you can shake a stick at.'—Southern Christian Advocate.

## Berlin Barred Scriptural Sign.

The Berlin police are extremely thorough in their methods, and Daniel Calzemed, who keeps a beer house opposite the Nazareth church there, has experienced this. In a moment of inspiration he christened his establishment "Daniel in the Lions' Den," and painted on the signboard over his door a picture of the great Hebrew sitting at ease among the lions. The police came along and told Daniel that his sign and picture were calculated to offend religious susceptibilities and ordered their removal. "Daniel in the" might remain, but "Lions' Den" and the picture had to go.

## Held in Reserve.

Peppery Colonel (at the club card table)—Good heavens, sir! Haven't you got a black suit?  
Irrepressible sub—Yes, sir; but I'm saving it for your funeral!

## The Ruling Passion.

Doctor (looking at clinical thermometer)—Hello! This won't do—hundred and three!  
Going Patient—What's bogey?

## NOT THE ORDINARY KIND.

Their Love Was To Be Tender and Romantic Ever, But Alas!

"George, dear," she said, a night or two before the wedding, "do you think it possible that our love and our married life can become the commonplace, coldly practical love and life of the married people we see around us? Oh, George, my heart would break if I thought so."

"But it will not be so," said George, passionately. "We love each other too tenderly, too fondly for that. Our love is not of the ordinary kind, my darling, and our lives will not be so. Ah, no, no, my angel; that can never be."

"And the other day she said, 'I say, George, how would you like pork for dinner with apple sauce? You would? All right, then; and don't you forget that feeding bottle for the baby, or I'll send you back after it, and mind that you don't keep your dinner waiting.' And he, with falling off of the passion of ten years ago, replied: 'All right, Lou; and I wish you'd sew a button on the back part of those striped trousers of mine; you'll find them hanging over a chair in our room. Don't have the pork as dry as last time, and you watch the baby's cold. That watering of the eyes looks like measles to me. There's my bus. Good-by.'"

## EXPLAINED TO THE EMPRESS.

Kaiser Apologized For Length of Absence From Her.

A characteristic story may be related of Emperor Wilhelm II's peculiarities. One morning he made a call on Count Szecseny, then Austrian ambassador at Berlin. The count was dawdling over his breakfast when his valet announced, "His majesty the emperor."

As the latter entered and took a chair, he said: "I have come for a glass of beer and a chat, as I have not seen you for so long. I will take a cigarette. And how is your wife?" At that moment the baroness entered the room, and the trio held a pleasant converse for some time. Suddenly the emperor looked at his watch and jumped to his feet. "Good gracious! Have we talked so long? I must use your telephone at once to bid the empress good bye, as I haven't time to return to the palace before starting for the maneuvers. I must, however, excuse myself to my wife." Thereupon the emperor rang up the empress to whom he spoke as follows: "Don't be angry. I have chatted so long with Szecseny that I must drive to the station from here, so I cannot give you my parting kiss. I am very sorry."

## Blondes and Brunettes.

It is said, though whether it is worth remembering or not is a matter of choice, that more fair people than dark ones remain unmarried, and people residing in the country have lighter hair than those who live in towns, owing to the fact that they are more in the sun and fresh air. Black hair was most esteemed by the ancient Jews, while the Greeks and Romans gave the preference to the golden shades. Those with dark hair work most, those with fair hair think the most. Red hair is a sign of passion, jealousy and ardor. Auburn shades indicate delicacy and refinement of taste, dark brown hair combines strength and susceptibility; while black hair denotes hasty temper, self-will and revenge. Says Woman's Life. As to complaints, some one has said black-haired people are most liable to consumption, brown-haired to rheumatism and heart disease, red-haired to pleurisy, pneumonia, ague and neuralgia and fair-haired persons to skin diseases.

## Mistaken Identity.

Judge Adams was sitting, and the officer had brought in a complaint against a Chinese, one Sing Lee, for breach of the ordinances.

"But you know, Mr. Officer," said his honor, "that no one but a police officer can be complainant in this case according to law. Now in this instance a citizen cannot make the complaint, and here is one Chinaman complaining of another."

"How is that, your honor?"

"Don't you see? 'George Nee,' complainant; 'Sing Lee,' defendant."

"Well, pardon me, your honor; it may sound a little like the Chinese, but George Nee happens to be my name."—Boston Herald.

## Finery Didn't Fit.

A party of women were being entertained at afternoon tea the other day by an artist who has a large collection of seventeenth and eighteenth century costumes.

One of the girls present said she would like to try on a certain gown, and soon all the guests were slipping into the quaint old finery.

But with only one exception—and she was a slim little thing of 16—one could induce her ancient gown to meet on her, and frocks that were meant to have trains were ankle high on their wearers. The artist laughingly admitted that not one of his models could wear them.

## Professor's Brain Gives Way.

According to the Berlin correspondent of a Paris newspaper, Dr. Behring, of whose "cure" for tuberculosis so much was heard recently, is under confinement. Personal acquaintances of the doctor declare that the news is not at all improbable, as for some time the professor has been in a highly neurotic condition.

# Have you Done Your Share?

Towards advertising Ada? If not, speak a good word for your town. Below we have prepared a form for the reverse side of your envelope that tersely tells the world who we are and what we have. It costs you but a trifle to have it printed and every letter you send out will advertise you and be means of calling investors' attention to our city. Call us up, we do the r

**ADA, CHICKASAW NATION, INDIAN TERRITORY.**  
The biggest little city in the new commonwealth. The city that has never experienced either a boom or a blow. During its six years' life it has gradually grown into a commercial and railroad center of 4,600 population. The growth has been natural, solid, and enduring.

Society excellent, good schools and strong churches; unsurpassed agricultural section; six railroad outlets; five more such outlets under contract to build by September, 1907, bonuses are raised.

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A big Portland cement plant with a pay roll of \$3,500 per week, in process of construction; \$40,000 worth of waterworks improvement, including a mammoth reservoir to furnish abundant water for factories.

## News Job Printing Department

**SAYS IT HURTS SALE**  
Home Prescription Ruins Sale of Patent Medicine.

To make up enough of the "vegetable treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore weak bladder and rheumatism; get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties almost instantly. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

A well known local druggist, who is in a position to know, asserts that this prescription, wherever it becomes known, always ruins the sale of the numerous patent medicine rheumatism cures, kidney cures, etc. It is a prescription which the majority of patent medicine manufacturers, and even certain physicians dislike to see published. Few cases, indeed, which will fail to fully yield to its peculiarly soothing and healing influence. Being composed of common every-day vegetable ingredients, which can be gotten from any druggist, it makes up a good, honest and harmless remedy and at small cost.

**Wapco Tomatoes**  
Fancy, Red Ripe Tomatoes grown especially for us and packed just as soon as picked from the vines, so are firm, fresh and juicy when you open the can that is full. Wapco Brand stands for Extra Standard Grade at Popular Price. If your grocer does not keep Wapco Brand, send us his name.

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THE WAPLES-PATTER GROCER CO.

**OTIS B. WEAVER**  
Continues in the Real Estate Business

And will give careful and energetic attention to all business entrusted. He has some rare bargains in Ada real estate. Manager for beautiful Sunrise Addition. Office headquarters for prospectors

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**Brick! Brick!! Brick!!!**

This ad is for those who need GOOD BRICK and don't know that we have them. Brick are fire-proof and last longer than cement blocks, stone and lumber. A wooden house is an old house in a few years, while a well-built Brick house improves in its looks.

**ADA PRESSED BRICK & TILE CO.**

**A Lucky Purchase**  
SAVE \$1.00 A PAIR

We have just received a large shipment of Sample Shoes which we are putting on sale for less money than other merchants can buy them. We have these samples in all the fine grades of shoes in Men's, Boys', Women's and Children's in nothing but the latest styles.

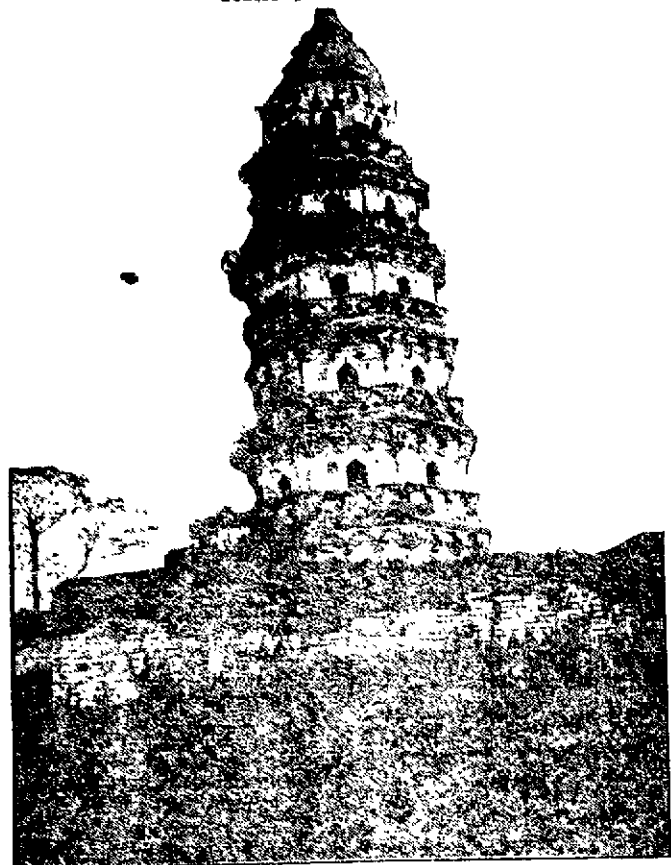
**CHAPMAN**  
The Shoe Man

**OVERDRAFTS**

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of ad-vance on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

**Ada National Bank**  
Capital and Surplus, \$63,500. Ada, Ind. Ter





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Photograph of the Tiger Hill Pagoda at Soochow, China. It is known as the "Leaning Tower" and is said to be 1,300 years old.

## WHERE WOMEN RULE.

CONSERVATIVE AND EXCLUSIVE  
WELSH VILLAGE.

Town of Langwm Remarkable for Its  
Self-Effacing Male Population—  
Girls Kept Within Bounds  
Until Recently.

London.—The county of Pembroke in Wales is perhaps able to find as much food for the antiquary as any two others in Great Britain. It is a land of ruined palaces and castles, ancient churches and still more ancient history. Its towns of any size are few and far between and for this reason its nooks and corners are but little visited by the quickly passing tourist, while the townspeople themselves seem neither to know much nor care about the hundred and one interests in the hamlets and villages across the country.

A market case in point is the little village of Langwm.

Little Langwm is now practically the only self-contained community in the county able to point to a direct descent from their lusty ancestors across the North sea.

So conservative and exclusive are this little village traditions that it was not till quite recently that its daughters were allowed to go forth into what must have been to them a very foreign domestic service or many beyond its bounds, while their tongue to this day is far less intelligible to their neighbors than it must have been in late Norman days when the Flemish language only differed in the dialect from that in fairly general use in England.

But it is in their domestic affairs

that the dwellers in Langwm differ so widely from their neighbors. Here women rule the roost in a fashion that would commend itself to many of our English sisters. A recent writer had it that none but the gentler sex sat in the village council and that the undemocratic husbands were swiftly dealt with by a selected bevy of Langwm beauty in painful but thorough fashion.

This imputation was much resented at the time and the libeller would no doubt have been as carefully "attended to" had he put in an appearance in the village.

There is no question, however, that Langwm womanhood has an equal word in the conduct of this temperate and well-governed little colony, while its menfolk are of the self-effacing order, calling and mending in the creek and rarely found upon the roads outside the village.

One has only to meet a group of its sturdy womenfolk hawking fish upon the rough roads of Haverfordwest, Tenby and Pembroke clad in short red and blue homespun skirts, thick worsted stockings and mighty hobnail boots, with pea jacket and soft felt hat as a picturesque finish, to grasp the fact that mere man would have but a poor show in wordy or physical argument with one of them.

Woman rules here as much upon the water as upon land. Langwm's little fleet of boats is almost invariably manned—one should almost say womaned—by two women and a man, with one of the former at the tiller. The intricate windings and currents of the upper Haven, or a dirty day beyond it, are taken with equal skill and philosophy by these sturdy Amazons.

## IS AN ATHLETE AT EIGHTY.

Lois Lewis of Girard College is Old-  
est Physical Instructor.

Philadelphia.—Girard college boasts of probably the oldest physical instructor in the United States. His name is Lois Lewis and this is his seventy-eighth winter. For 53 years he has been teaching and directing the boys of Girard college in their gymnastic work, and so understandingly does he deal with them that they consider their hours spent daily under his instruction not hours of work, but hours of positive pleasure. One and all they leave the college with a great affection for the old professor.

Professor Lewis is the son of an old soldier. Although German, his father fought valiantly under Napoleon in the memorable battle of Waterloo.

Lois Lewis was born in Frankfort-on-Main, Germany. When a mere boy he was noted for his proficiency in every branch of gymnastics and made quite a record as an athlete. Following in the footsteps of his father, Lois, too, became a soldier. The future began to look very rosy for young Lewis when, in the year 1818, a revolution put the fatherland in a turmoil. Lewis got mixed up in this revolution and, unfortunately for himself, was on the wrong side. He was forced to flee from the country.

Lewis arrived in Philadelphia in 1850. In a little hall on Poplar street, between Second and Third streets, he helped to form an organization which eventually developed into the Philadelphia Turngemeinde, which now flourishes in its home at 429 North Sixth street. From 1859 to

1887 he conducted a gymnasium at Ninth and Arch streets.

Thirty-three years ago Lewis was asked to become the physical instructor at Girard college. He accepted the offer, and his name was dignified by the little professor.

Professor Lewis' long term of service at the college has been one of continual success. The weight of his 78 years apparently hampers him not in the least in his work.

### Old Document Found.

Denver.—A bill of lading for 20 African slaves, dated July 14, 1807, was found a few days ago by John W. Anthony, of Denver, while rummaging in the bottom of a trunk. The document is 100 years old. The paper announces the shipment of the 20 negroes to his father. The slaves were bought in Charleston, S. C., and shipped to New Orleans. The bill of lading is signed by William Flagg, master of the old ship Carolina. One of the peculiar notations is this: "Shipped in good order and well condition." The freight charges on the slaves from Charleston to New Orleans were \$500.

### Glass in Fish's Stomach.

Palm Beach, Fla.—While fishing on the Ocean pier a negro pulled in a good-sized kingfish. On cleaning it he felt something hard in the stomach, and pulled out a pair of rimless glasses attached to a delicate gold chain, evidently intended for a woman's wear. The glasses were not broken. Emerson D. Prescott of Washington, a patron of the Royal Poinciana hotel, heard of the discovery and bought the glasses from the fisherman.

## SLIDE SAVED TRAIN

DITCHED RUNAWAY LOCOMOTIVE  
JUST IN TIME.

Engineer Tells of Experience That  
Put a Few Gray Hairs in His  
Head But Ended Better  
Than He Expected.

"After comin' aroun' the bend in Collins Cut," said the fat engineer, "I just glanced back to see that the markers, those little red and green tail lights which mark the end of a train, were there all right. I leaned 'way out of the cab window 'n' counted the sleepers as they swept aroun' the curve.

"Yes, there they came all right, burnin' like bright little emeralds 'n' I knew my train was all together 'n' followin' me safely down the hill.

"The night I am speakin' of I was runnin' the Sunrise Limited, as the fast eastern express on our road was called. It was in March, 'n' gentle spring was already spreadin' her velvet touch over the land.

"We had had a deal of snow that winter, 'n' now that it was commencin' to thaw out the s.c.f. was makin' quite a little trouble for the management. 'Idin' aroun' the tracks from the mountainside, sometimes bringin' a piece of hill with it.

"As I glanced back along the sides of the glistenin' coaches I was attracted by a glare along the rails behind my train, 'n' in another second a headlight flashed aroun' the curve out of the cut in our wake, makin' very fast time. Even a blind baggage car could see that one of the engines in the yards at the top of the mountain had slipped her throttle 'n' was running away, chasin' us down the mountain.

"I was some set back for a second, but the only thing, for me to do was to turn on a full head of steam 'n' make the best time I could, which wasn't the safest thing in the world to do, as we generally hold 'em pretty steady comin' down the mountain, but I must show a clean brace of tail-lights to the runaway.

"She wasn't quite a quarter of a mile behind us, 'n' looked like a fiery comet comin' down the rails, as her firebox door was open, 'n' with every exhaust of the engine the flare from her furnace lit up the sky. My engine bounded forward under a wide open throttle 'n' our race for the lives of those in the rear sleepers was on.

"Notwithstandin' the weight of the train behind me, which should give me a little advantage over the light engine comin' down the hill, we didn't seem to be able to shake her off. An' each time I trusted myself to glance back at her she seemed to be crawlin' up on us a little.

"If I could keep a few yards of moonlight between the pilot of the wildcat 'n' my rear car until we got down the mountain 'n' started up the Razorback on the other side, I could drop my engine down 'n' leave the runaway behind, as by that time she would be out of steam 'n' lay down like a runaway horse which has shot its bolt. But I wouldn't bet more 'n' 50 lb. R. T. rebate checks to a rag doll that we would beat her down.

"However, we had a fightin' chance 'n' the way I pounded my good old en-

gine sent the hot coals out of the stack. I was gettin' a little nervous, as that light engine hung onto our trail like a bicycle cop after a speedin' auto.

"Comin' aroun' through Rocky Holler I got several chills down my spine as the watchman down by the little shanty was hysterically wavin' his green lantern at me. Durin' the thaw the road had several watchmen stationed at intervals down the mountain to watch for landslides 'n' warn approachin' trains. Evidently there was a dangerous spot in the track that the watchman had discovered 'n' he was signalin' me to come ahead with extreme caution.

"I sure was up against the real thing now. A wildcat engine pressin' me hard on the rear flank 'n' a dangerous piece of track ahead. This was a case where the rule book failed to help me out.

"Take a safe course 'n' run no risks," says the railroad Hoyle in chilly black double face type. Which was the safe course for me?

"I did some quick mental calculatin' 'n' concluded to keep a full head of steam up. I've read in newspapers about trains beatin' their way through slight landslides 'n' there was a show for me to cut through it if there was one ahead.

"But if I stopped my train that engine behind would be half through those sleepin' cars, killin' 'n' makin' the snoozin' passengers. It would be safer for me personally to slow down, but I was not so selfish as to consider my personal safety.

"So we bounced along by the frightened watchman with speed not a whit diminished. I fairly stopped breathin' as we whirled down through the Holler. Just beyond the watchman's shanty I felt a tremblin' of the track 'n' my engine keeled badly.

"I cling to the cab, expectin' every second we would slide down the bank. But we kept the rails. We had barely passed the shanty when there was a rumblin' sound 'n' I saw the little watchman's cabin swirlin' down the bank.

"The heavy weight of our train at its terrific speed had caused the track to give way 'n' slide out just in time to take the runaway engine with it 'n' we were out of our bad mess."

### Cassatt Kept His Horses.

A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, always liked a good horse. When he was a vice president and director of the line he owned a small string of racers, which he entered as representatives of the "Willowbrook" stable. At that time Mr. Roberts was president, and as there was a strong quaker influence in the board Mr. Cassatt was gently reminded that he should resign from Willowbrook or from the road. He did both at once and ere long it became evident that he was taking up with the Reading railroad. The Pennsylvania people loudly requested him to resume relations with them. Mr. Cassatt placidly assented, but thereafter his horses were entered under his own name.

### Rolling Stock.

In round numbers \$380,000,000 was spent last year in rolling stock for the American railroads. More than \$250,000,000 was spent in freight cars. A freight car costs about \$1,000, and a passenger car about \$8,000. The price of a good engine is about \$15,000.

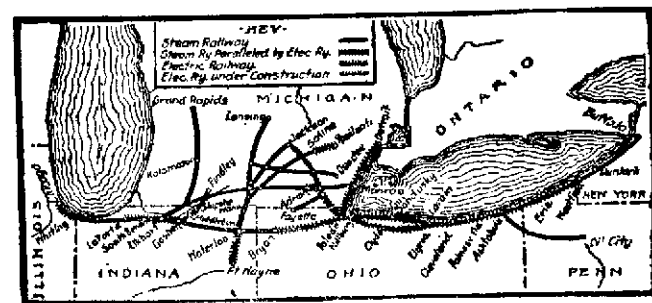
### ELECTRIC AND STEAM LINES.

Motor Has by No Means Supplanted  
the Locomotive.

The competition of electric interurban railways with present systems of steam railways, in the passenger traffic, has of late become a matter of some popular interest and of more or less common speculation. Much is currently written and spoken upon the subject; but of these discussions a certain amount seems to be based upon sensational statements or upon mistaken ideas as to the comparative standing of the two railway industries at the present time. The interurban

older power in almost all important particulars, but until that time comes the competition of electric roads with steam railways will be confined principally to competition in special features of transportation and to certain localities, where particular conditions bring the two systems into conflict.

This restriction of the competition to special features and localities has been and is the keynote of the situation with regard to any contest for business between the electric and the steam roads. The electric railway equipment of the earlier days involved certain technical limitations which made the system unsuited for any but comparatively short distance transportation. These features are now



Section Well Supplied with Both Lines.

electric railways have accomplished a remarkable growth in the last decade, and they are firmly established today as a part of the transportation system of this country. The new motive power has become a competitor of steam, but not to the extent of driving the latter from the field, as is occasionally said. So far as the economic aspects of the competition are concerned, the time seems not yet to have come when the electric motor can successfully supplant the steam locomotive in all those forms of service which have been developed and standardized by the latter. From the beginning certain fields of usefulness have been particularly favorable to the electric motive power. These fields of adaptability, however, are continually broadening, so that perhaps in a few years the electric motor may be a successful rival to the

largely removed as far as the technical limitations are concerned; but, notwithstanding the most recent developments, the electric roads still are favored as a means of transportation far more for short distance than for long distance travel. And even for short distance travel, the electric service will appeal chiefly to certain classes of patronage only. Many passengers are always found who prefer to travel by the steam trains. With regard to the merchandise traffic, the sphere of the electric road has been still more limited, and the amount of freight carried by them, except in a few isolated instances, has been insignificant. Likewise with regard to localities, the competition of interurban roads has been specialized rather than general, for the roads are at present confined principally to a comparative small section of this country.

# OLD SEWANEE to CELEBRATE



Fifty years ago next July the University of the South, or Sewanee university as it is best known, was organized, and in recognition of that beginning a celebration is to be held this year on the beautiful grounds of the institution on the high plateau of Lookout mountain to which will come the Sewanee clans from all parts of the union.

In the clan of Sewanee are such men as President Roosevelt and J. Pierpont Morgan, both of whom have promised to climb the mountain and join in the festivities. Neither the president nor the millionaire-financier are graduates of Sewanee, but because of the help they have given the university they are counted as members of the clan.

President Roosevelt was particularly attracted to Sewanee because of its attitude in the negro problem. He believes that the university will play a conspicuous part in years to come in solving the question. The president is intimately acquainted with the vice chancellor of the university, Prof. B. L. Wiggins, and has professed the greatest confidence in Sewanee's work.

Sewanee teaches its students that the perplexing race problem is to be solved only by appealing to the moral side of the negro. Intellectual development of the colored man, Sewanee believes, cannot alone accomplish the work. The working out of this problem is only a part of Sewanee's ambition. The university, broad in principle upon every question, aims to turn out men who are able to grasp the hardest questions of life, guided by the spirit of altruism.

That was the spirit that inspired the founders of the University of the South when, in 1857, the corner stone for the institution was laid on Lookout mountain. Sewanee has turned out thousands of graduates, and today there are lawyers, doctors and business men of great prominence throughout the country who will say that it was the influence of Sewanee that was in a great measure responsible for their success.

J. Pierpont Morgan became interested in Sewanee five years ago, when he attended a convention of the Episcopal church, in Minneapolis. The university, although run under the auspices of the Episcopal church, is non-sectarian in character. Bishop Dudley, of Kentucky, told the convention of Sewanee's work, and Morgan became deeply impressed.

When the convention was over Mr. Morgan told Bishop Dudley that he would like to help such a university as he had described. A few weeks later the millionaire sent the university \$50,000 in railroad bonds and followed it up with a cash donation of \$15,000. Later he has promised another donation.

There are over 500 New Yorkers who were graduated from Sewanee. They have organized an alumni society with Dr. John H. P. Hodgson, of Washington Square, as president. Dr. Hodgson's father, Rev. Dr. Telfair Hodgson, was so fond of the university that for 15 years he gave his services gratis as its vice chancellor. At his death, some years ago, Mrs. Hodgson, his widow, erected a memorial chapel costing \$23,000 on the university grounds. Rev. Mr. Hodgson, during his service as vice chancellor, presented the university with a medical infirmary.

Sewanee has a romantic history. Bishop Folk, of Louisiana, was its founder. A son of the bishop, Dr. William M. Folk, is a prominent practitioner in this city. Bishop Folk enlisted interest among southerners and got a donation of 10,000 acres of forest land on a high plateau on Lookout mountain. Besides this, he was promised endowments aggregating \$3,000,000.

The day the corner stone was laid—a bleak afternoon in October—5,000 men and women made their way to the mountain top. In the town of Sewanee, at the foot of the mountain, there were not nearly enough houses to shelter them for the night. Tents were pitched in the forest, and there the visitors rested. There was an immense barbecue, and the occasion was one long to be remembered.

Several wooden structures were put up for the workmen, and the work of building the University of the South was soon begun. Then came the civil war. The Seventh Illinois troops one

day, in traveling from Nashville to Chattanooga, came upon the crude university huts. The work of putting up the stone buildings had not been started.

The soldiers saw the marble cornerstone and at once became inquisitive. The stone was blown open with gunpowder, and the papers that Bishop Folk had placed there were abstracted. The wooden huts were set afire, and nothing remained to mark the site of the Sewanee university but ashes.

During the war Bishop Folk, at the head of a Louisiana regiment, was killed. When the war was over the trustees again took up the work of building the university. They found that the fortunes of those who had promised the \$3,000,000 of endowments had been dissipated. There were no funds with which to continue the work.

Discouraged, the trustees concluded to abandon the idea. Under the grant by which they came into possession of the forest land, they would lose title if no buildings were put up by the fall of 1868. Bishop Quintard, whose brothers now own the Quintard iron works, of this city, realized that Sewanee was doomed unless something was hurriedly done. Three days before possession would have passed from the trustees, the bishop and two others went up to the mountain and planted a rustic cross, after the fashion of the warriors under William the Conqueror. The next day they hastily nailed together two rough huts, and the day after that the University of the South was an established fact.

The bishop and his two conferees sent for their sons, and for a year the boys were the only students at Sewanee. In the meantime the trustees had got more funds and stone buildings were beginning to assume shape. Inside of two years there were half a dozen fine structures in that wilderness, with several professors and 50 students.

Now Sewanee has an average of 550 students every year. Its domain has been beautiful until to-day the grounds are among the finest to be found in the world. There are magnificent residences for the professors, while many of the friends or alumni of the university have houses on the grounds and live there the year round. One of the things on which Sewanee prides itself is this community. The university population, outside of the students, is over 1,000.

Sewanee's professors, unlike those of some universities, are never kept under restraint of speech. Freedom of the chair is one of the things for which the university is famed. An instance of this is furnished in the case of Prof. Trent, now professor of English literature at Columbia university. The professor was, until a few years ago, one of the faculty of Sewanee.

Although a southerner, Prof. Trent has some views on the war that are not in accord with those of all other southerners. Some years ago the professor wrote his impressions in a book which he called "Southern Statesmen of the Old Regime."

The book created a furor in the south, as Prof. Trent had expected. Staunch friends of the university in the south wrote scorching letters to the trustees, demanding that Prof. Trent be instantly dismissed. They considered his utterance intolerable. The reply of the trustees was substantially this:

"We allow free speech at Sewanee. That is one of the cardinal principles of our institution. Prof. Trent has not violated the university's law; therefore we cannot see any reason why he should be called to account. He will remain with Sewanee as long as he is true to its principles."

Prof. Trent remained until he married and then moved to New York city.

### Long Distance.

"Where are you going, old chap?" asked the first youth.

"Going to send Myrtilla a kiss through the telephone," replied the second youth.

"Why, you are slow. Don't you know a kiss through a telephone loses its flavor?"

"Just why I am using the telephone, old man. I have been eating onions." —Chicago Daily News.

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LIVELY ELECTION AND EACH  
CANDIDATE STILL HOPEFUL

Tuesday's democratic city primary was not by any means the liveliest in the history of the town, but it was the liveliest in many a month. For nearly every office there was a contest, and the way each candidate and his supporters "did about" showed no one inclined to "lay down."

As usual it was some time after the hour set before the various ward boards got together and the voting began. But once begun there was a pretty steady stream of voters in the booths from then on.

This, the second time it has been undertaken to enforce the Australian system of voting shows our people are readily adjusting themselves to the change—to the abandonment of the old "scratching" system.

To say who has won in the election at this time—8.30—would be a mere guess. The most sagacious admit that. But the voting at this hour numbers as follows: 1st ward 117; 2nd ward 43, 3rd ward 73; 4th ward 107. In the last city primary the total votes in the respective wards were 145, 100, 105 and 148. It is thought the balloting today will be about as heavy as a year ago.

BEGGARS ORGANIZED

Have a System Which Works Admirably in Territory.

Muskogee, I. T., March 12.—The confession of a beggar who operated in Indian Territory towns, and was finally caught in the dragnet of the police, has disclosed the fact that the beggars of the new state have a perfect organization, presided over by a president elected by them. There are other officers, the principal one being the manager, who outlines the route to be taken by the cripple or the blind man. The "workers" operate on a commission basis and their routes are changed often enough to give each fair play.

The man who told the story to the police says that it is not necessary for a man to be a cripple in order to become a member of the organization, and intimates that "putting on a good front" was about all that was required. The money which is turned in is used for the benefit of the society. It is said that headquarters have been established at Muskogee and Oklahoma City. There is a great number of beggars in this part of the country. Many are blind, and others crippled. The majority credit their disfigurement to mine disasters.

Supply the Cannery.

The time is now when the truck farmer should decide just what to plant in the way of tomatoes, beans, cucumbers, etc. The Ada cannery will be ready in due time for all products suitable for packing, and will do you right in the way of purchasing your berries, peaches, etc., or will can them for the shares. The Acme or the Stone tomatoes are the very best for canning and shipping purposes.

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Manager Ada Cannery.  
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FOR RENT.—Furnished rooms on E. 12th st.—Mrs. M. T. Stephenson. 302-tf

PROHIBITION SUBMITTED  
BY VOTE OF 69 TO 13

Guthrie, Ok., March 12.—The provision separately submitting the prohibition question in its application to the entire new state passed finally in the convention yesterday by a vote of 69 for to 13 against. When the convention met last November there were fifty-two for constitutional prohibition, forty-two for local option and eighteen for separate submission. To practically reverse the situation, it developed early in the session that unless the question was sent to the people for an expression there would be no action taken. This ends one of the most earnestly contested movements before the convention and one which attracted more general attention from both Territories.

The convention completed the executive department by making it impossible for the Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor and Treasurer to immediately succeed themselves after the second election. Attorney General and Superintendent of Public Instruction were eliminated from the inhibition. All officials will be eligible to succeed each other and all terms begin with the day the state is admitted to the Union, and the first expire in January, 1911. The minimum age limit is 30 years and residence in the Territories three years.

Any person may waive a jury trial and have the case presented to the judge. His verdict shall have the same effect as if it had been rendered by a jury.

Perpetuities and monopolies shall never be allowed.

A lively contest ensued over the adoption of the public buildings report, during which some of the delegates called into question the power of congress to locate the new state's capital in Guthrie until 1913. This stipulation is made in the enabling act and being recited in the report Mr. Haskell carried a motion to strike it out. Mr. Williams of Durant suggested if the convention wanted statehood it had better follow the enabling act, to which Mr. Haskell retorted that he favored accepting terms of the act as far as congress had the power to impose.

It was agreed that the matter of capital location be sent to the schedule committee to figure out. Then Mr. Haskell came forward with a resolution permanently locating the present Oklahoma educational institutions where they now are, and providing for the location of three additional normal schools in Indian Territory, three already being in Oklahoma, the committee to select the new sites. This went on quickly to the table under the usual motion, with the understanding, however, that the subject is to be dealt

with in the schools.

No promises are made as to the proposed Indian Territory normals and unless they are it is predicted the whole matter of location will be passed to the legislature, save as to the existing institutions. The policy was practically established that no money is to be spent for capitol conveniences other than rent, etc., at the present location.

AFRAID DAM MAY BURST.

Farmer Down the Valley Fears Another Johnstown Flood.

J. S. Buck, a farmer living on Boggy some two miles below the site for Ada's waterworks dam, called on The News editor today and evinced some fear on the part of himself and neighbors that the dam may break some time and precipitate another Johnstown flood upon the settlers in the valley below. He urged the editor to write a vigorous article imploring the city to build the dam doubly strong so that no such catastrophe could occur.

The editor tried to dispel the fears of Mr. Buck. While no expert engineer, he gave it as his opinion that if the dam should some time break loose the volume of water released could scarcely imperil life further than a few hundred yards below; also that the city council had exercised the utmost care and had selected the best engineers to build the reservoir according to the most modern principles of engineering.

We trust Mr. Buck and his neighbors will lose no sleep over such fancied danger.

Listen

and remember the next time you suffer pain—caused by damp weather—when our head nearly bursts from neuralgia—try Ballard's Snow Liniment. It will cure you. A prominent business man of Hempstead, Texas, writes: "I have used your liniment. Previous to using it I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism and Neuralgia. I am pleased to say that now I am free from these complaints. I am sure I owe this to your liniment."—Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

A Baby

should be sunshine in the home, and will be if you give it White's Cream Vermifuge, the greatest worm medicine ever offered to suffering humanity. This remedy is becoming the permanent fixture of well regulated households—A mother, with children, can't get along without a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge in the house. It is the purest and best medicine money can buy.—Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

BACK TO THE BARS FOR ORD--  
ATTEMPT TO KILL THE CHARGE

Ord Rich, the frequent guest of prisons, he who at the last term of court here was acquitted of a charge of rape, is in jail again.

He and Dan Crooks—so the testimony ran at the examining trial this morning—were flocking together Monday night and sauntered off toward "the flats." Later Dan showed up with a broken head, and Rich by officers was found in bed with a slingshot on his person, which one officer says he tried to conceal under the quilt. The weapon is a heavy iron tap with a string attached.

Dan says when the two had reached a dark, obscure place on the railroad track suddenly he was dealt a terrific blow on the back of the head; that running away in terror he encountered two other men, whereupon Rich disappeared. Dan bled profusely and several stitches had to be taken in his head. It is said he had earlier in the night flashed some money.

After the preliminary hearing this morning Rich was held to await the action of the grand jury at Ardmore in April and his bond set at \$2,000. The charge is assault with intent to kill.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the city of Ada, Indian Territory, on Tuesday, April the 2nd, 1907, at the places hereinafter named, for the purpose of electing a

Mayor, Recorder, Marshal, Treasurer, two Aldermen from each ward and such other officers as are or may be provided for by ordinance of the said city.

Said election will be held at the following places, in said city, to-wit:

Ward No. 1 in the frame building one door north from the Commercial hotel.

Ward No. 2 at the John B. Beard building on the East side of Broadway between Main and 10th street.

Ward No. 3 at the United States Commissioner's court room.

Ward No. 4 at the frame building on the East side of Townsend avenue between Main and 12th streets.

The polls will be opened and closed and the election conducted as provided by the election laws in force in the Indian Territory.

Given under my hand this the 1st day of March, 1907. 293-tf

J. P. Wood, Mayor.

In the treatment of piles it becomes necessary to have the remedy put up in such a form that it can be applied to the parts affected. Man Zan Pile remedy is encased in a collapsible tube with nozzle attached. It cannot help but reach the spot. Relieves blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. 50 cents with nozzle guaranteed. Try it. Sold by G. M. Ramsey's drug store.

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CHILDREN RECEIVE BIG  
REWARD FOR SAVING TRAIN

Muskogee, I. T., March 12.—Two children, a little son and daughter of Jim Whetstone, living near Henryetta, saved a fast freight from plunging into a burning trestle the other night, and they have been given \$1,000 each by the railroad company as a reward for their brave work.

The children live near the Frisco tracks where the trestle burned. They saw the fire and tried to telephone to the station agent at Henryetta, but the agent did not hear or would not answer the phone. It was at night and the trestle could not be seen but a little way. The children knew that the train would go into the ravine if it was not stopped. They secured a lantern and as fast as they could run, hastened up the track waving the lantern as they ran. The engineer saw the signal and stopped his heavy train just in time. It is reported that as soon as the railroad officials heard of it they sent a check for \$1,000 to each of the children.

The children are of Indian blood and in addition to the money they received from the railroad they have allotments of valuable coal land from which they receive immense royalties.

Not As Good As Pontotoc.

T. D. McKeown, accompanied by W. P. Chism, of Francis, returned this morning from a business trip to New Mexico. Tom thinks it a mightily over-rated region. It made his heart sad to see the great hordes of immigrants rushing in to get a tract on those semi-barren plains. "I wouldn't swap Pontotoc county for the whole territory of New Mexico," declares Tom.

Frisco Spreading Out at Francis.

It is reported the Frisco is acquiring more land at Francis and purposes to build a lot more of side trackage, all of which does not indicate any strong disposition on the part of the company to remove the shops to Ada.

STATE COMMITTEE URGES  
JUNE 1 FOR PRIMARY DAY

Guthrie, Ok., March 12.—The State Democratic Executive Committee was in session yesterday and recommended to the general committee of the new state that primary election be ordered for the first Saturday in June (June 1). This recommendation will be presented at the meeting in Tulsa to be held on the second day following adjournment of the convention.

It is understood that the convention will adopt the opinion of its legal advisory committee, that it has no authority to provide mandatory primaries of the first election, but it is relying upon the Democratic committee to do so, which is authorized by the

existing Oklahoma laws. The Democratic Executive Committee will address a note to the republican committee asking the latter to join in ordering a primary for June, which cause both parties to nominate in a like manner and on the same day.

The supreme election board recently named by the convention was also in session here yesterday and organized. John M. Young of Lawton was made chairman, J. C. McClelland of Pond Creek was made vice-chairman and J. E. Wyands of Muskogee is the secretary. The other two representatives are D. N. Robb of Atoka and Dyke Ballinger of Anadarko, both being republicans.

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<b>Abstracts.</b> Grant and abstracts are given to the compilation of abstracts, and our work is neat and our charges reasonable. Office maps are open to the public and any information consistent with our business is freely given.	<b>Rentals.</b> We will collect your rents and give you a copy and money in so doing. No extra charge for paying taxes or building after repairs. One commission covers all. Mr. Erey will have charge of rentals in connection with real estate.

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CHAS. E. McPHERREN

For State Representative.  
RANDOLPH LAURENCE.

For State Treasurer  
J. A. MENEFFEE

For Circuit Judge  
EUGENE E. WHITE

For Clerk of Supreme Court  
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For County Judge  
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For County Attorney  
ROBT WIMBISH  
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For Sheriff  
ROBERT NESTER  
A. A. (GUS) BOBBITT  
L. E. (LEM) MITCHELL  
JAMES D. GAAR  
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C. A. (CHARLIE) POWERS  
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## TEACHES DOGS A LESSON.

Animals on One Letter Carrier's Route Never Attack Him Twice.

"No one comes in contact with all sorts of dogs more than the letter carrier," said the man in gray as the interviewer trudged along beside him. "Take it outside the business districts and every other family has a dog. Many of them I pay no attention to, but about one out of five aches to get his teeth into my legs at first sight. It is a part of my duty to teach such curs a lifelong lesson."

"Do you kick them?" was asked.  
"That would be foolish. I carry here in my side pocket about a quarter of a pound of dry fine cut tobacco. You see it is almost as fine as snuff. The dog that means to bite you won't come charging down with a roar. He sneaks up behind and gives a jump to. I am ready for it. Without seeming to be watching. I know where he is, and at the right moment he gets the tobacco dust in his eyes. Then there is a circus. That dog goes through such a performance as you never witnessed, and his owner, man or woman, indulges in all sorts of threats. I deliver the mail and say nothing and go on. The dog's eyes are sore for a fortnight, and it he afterward meets me on the street he will drop his tail and make a bolt for home. It's a lesson he never forgets, and I believe it increases his owner's respect for Uncle Sam's uniform."

## ALL ARGUMENT AT AN END.

Youthful Logic That Completely Silenced Mother.

A small girl of ten was starting to consume a tower of graham crackers that she had ingeniously built at the table. Her parents remonstrated with her. The girl persisted and was finally sent to bed for disobedience.

The next morning after her father had gone down to the office she turned to her mother with an expression of resignation and the words:

"Well, how long is this going to last? I suppose I've got to stand it for the present, but just wait till I grow up and then I'm going to do exactly what I please."

"But Carol," argued her mother, a bit alarmed at the child's persistence, "I'm grown up and I don't always do what I want to."

"Well," remarked Carol, with an air of conviction which contained a prophecy, "all I have to say is that you are very foolish."

The argument was unanswerable and the mother lapsed into silence.

## Headed That Way.

The late Hon. Amasa Norcross of Fitchburg, Mass., who ably represented his district for three successive terms in congress, told the following story with evident enjoyment.

In the early days of his practice as a lawyer he was employed as attorney for a man who complained of a neighbor for trespassing upon his premises. Among other things said that when he went to talk with his neighbor about it that individual used very threatening and abusive language.

In cross-examining the defendant upon the witness stand Mr. Norcross asked:

"What did you say to my client when he came to see you about trespassing on his premises?"

"I told him to go to the devil."

"Well did he go?"

"I think he did, sir, for I noticed that he started off directly toward your office."

## Hogs' Strange Behavior.

Hogs over near the good church of Providence are acting queerly here recently. One of my grave, dignified stewards was telling me about it the other day.

"Brother W—" said he, "a strange thing is happening over in our community. 'What in the world is it?' said I. 'Well,' replied my steward, 'it's the hogs. They are acting as if never saw them before. They are actually rubbing their tails off.' 'You don't tell me—rubbing their tails off?' Steward—'Yes, sir, it's a fact. It seems it is some sort of a disease that peculiarly affects that part of the hog's anatomy, and he goes to a pine tree and rubs until the tail is excommunicated. We have more hobbail hogs in my section than you can shake a stick at.'—Southern Christian Advocate.

## Berlin Barred Scriptural Sign.

The Berlin police are extremely thorough in their methods, and Daniel Czemec, who keeps a beer house opposite the Nazareth church there, has experienced this. In a moment of inspiration he christened his establishment "Daniel in the Lions' Den," and painted on the signboard over his door a picture of the great Hebrew sitting at ease among the lions.

The police came along and told Daniel that his sign and picture were calculated to offend religious susceptibilities and ordered their removal. "Daniel in the" might remain, but "Lions' Den" and the picture had to go.

## Held in Reserve.

Peppery Colonel (at the club card table)—Good heavens, sir! Haven't you got a black suit?  
Irrepressible sub—Yes, sir; but I'm saving it for your funeral!

## The Ruling Passion.

Doctor (looking at clinical thermometer)—Hello! This won't do—hundred and three!  
Golfing Patient—What's bogey?

## NOT THE ORDINARY KIND.

Their Love Was To Be Tender and Romantic Ever, But Also!

"George, dear," she said, a night or two before the wedding, "do you think it possible that our love and our married life can become the commonplace, coldly practical love and life of the married people we see around us? Oh, George, my heart would break if I thought so."

"But it will not be so," said George, passionately. "We love each other too tenderly, too fondly for that. Our love is not of the ordinary kind, my darling, and our lives will not be so. Ah, no, no, my angel; that can never be."

## EXPLAINED TO THE EMPRESS.

Kaiser Apologized For Length of Absence From Her.

A characteristic story may be related of Emperor Wilhelm II's peculiarities. One morning he made a call on Count Szeoyeny, then Austrian ambassador at Berlin. The count was dawdling over his breakfast when his valet announced, "His majesty the emperor."

As the latter entered and took a chair, he said: "I have come for a glass of beer and a chat, as I have not seen you for so long. I will take a cigarette. And how is your wife?" At that moment the baroness entered the room, and the trio held a pleasant converse for some time. Suddenly the Kaiser looked at his watch and jumped to his feet. "Good gracious! Have we talked so long? I must use your telephone at once to bid the empress good bye, as I haven't time to return to the palace before starting for the maneuvers. I must, however, excuse myself to my wife." Thereupon the emperor rang up the empress to whom he spoke as follows: "Don't be angry. I have chatted so long with Szeoyeny that I must drive to the station from here, so I cannot give you my parting kiss. I am very sorry."

## Blondes and Brunettes.

It is said, though whether it is worth remembering or not is a matter of choice, that more fair people than dark ones remain unmarried, and people residing in the country have lighter hair than those who live in towns, owing to the fact that they are more in the sun and fresh air. Black hair was most esteemed by the ancient Jews, while the Greeks and Romans gave the preference to the golden shades. Those with dark hair work most, those with fair hair think the most. Red hair is a sign of passion, jealousy and ardor. Auburn shades indicate delicacy and refinement of taste, dark brown hair combines strength and susceptibility; while black hair denotes heavy temper, self-will and revenge, says Woman's Life. As to complaints, some one has said black-haired people are most liable to consumption, brown-haired to rheumatism and heart disease, red-haired to pleurisy, pneumonia, ague and neuralgia and fair-haired persons to skin diseases.

## Mistaken Identity.

Judge Adams was sitting, and the officer had brought in a complaint against a Chinese, one Sing Lee, for breach of the ordinances.

"But you know, Mr. Officer," said his honor, "that no one but a police officer can be complainant in this case according to law. Now in this instance a citizen cannot make the complaint, and here is one Chinaman complaining of another."

"How is that, your honor?"  
"Don't you see? 'George Nee,' complainant; 'Sing Lee,' defendant."  
"Well, pardon me, your honor; it may sound a little like the Chinese, but George Nee happens to be my name."—Boston Herald.

## Finery Didn't Fit.

A party of women were being entertained at afternoon tea the other day by an artist who has a large collection of seventeenth and eighteenth century costumes.

One of the girls present said she would like to try on a certain gown, and soon all the guests were slipping into the quaint old finery.

But with only one exception—and she was a slim little thing of 16—no one could induce her ancient gown to meet on her, and frocks that were meant to have trains were ankle high on their wearers. The artist laughingly admitted that not one of his models could wear them.

## Professor's Brain Gives Way.

According to the Berlin correspondent of a Paris newspaper, Dr. Behring, of whose "cure" for tuberculosis so much was heard recently, is under confinement. Personal acquaintances of the doctor declare that the news is not at all improbable, as for some time the professor has been in a highly neurotic condition.

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## SAYS IT HURTS SALE

Home Prescription Ruins Sale of Patent Medicine.

To make up enough of the "vegetable treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore weak bladder and rheumatism; get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties almost instantly. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

A well known local druggist, who is in a position to know, asserts that this prescription, wherever it becomes known, always ruins the sale of the numerous patent medicine rheumatism cures, kidney cures, etc. It is a prescription which the majority of patent medicine manufacturers, and even certain physicians dislike to see published. Few cases, indeed, which will fail to fully yield to its peculiarly soothing and healing influence. Being composed of common every-day vegetable ingredients, which can be gotten from any druggist, it makes up a good, honest and harmless remedy and at small cost.

## Off to Paris to Court.

The Will Hendrix and the Clarence Brown murder cases are set for trial in the federal court at Paris, Texas, March 13. Today U. S. Deputy Marshals Brents, Cummings and Chapman, and several others from here and a number from Stonewall left for Paris as witnesses.

The defendants are fullblooded Indians and took advantage of the old act of congress permitting such a change of venue.

# A Lucky Purchase

SAVE \$1.00 A PAIR

We have just received a large shipment of Sample Shoes which we are putting on sale for less money than other merchants can buy them. We have these samples in all the fine grades of shoes in Men's, Boys', Women's and Children's in nothing but the latest styles.

**CHAPMAN**  
The Shoe Man



**MEN AND WOMEN.** THE ORIGINAL LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP  
**KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE**  
CONTAINING **HONEY AND TAR**  
**EARLY RISERS**  
The famous little pills.

**TRADE FOLLOWS THE FLAG**

**Wapco Tomatoes**

Fancy, Red Ripe Tomatoes grown especially for us and packed just as soon as picked from the vines, so are firm, fresh and juicy when you open the can that is full. Wapco Brand stands for Extra Standard Grade at Popular Price. If your grocer does not keep Wapco Brand, send us his name.

DENISON, FT. WORTH, DALLAS  
**THE WAPLES-PATTER GROCER CO.**

**OTIS B. WEAVER**

Continues in the Real Estate Business

And will give careful and energetic attention to all business entrusted. He has some rare bargains in Ada real estate. Manager for beautiful Sun-rise Addition. Office headquarters for prospectors

**Weaver Building. :: 12th and Broadway.**

**Brick! Brick!! Brick!!!**

This ad is for those who need GOOD BRICK and don't know that we have them. Brick are fire-proof and last longer than cement blocks, stone and lumber. A wooden house is an old house in a few years, while a well-built Brick house improves in its looks.

**ADA PRESSED BRICK & TILE CO.**

**OVERDRAFTS**

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

**Ada National Bank**  
Capital and Surplus, \$83,500. Ada, Ind. Ter

## Put Your Loose Dollars on Deposit

Open an account with us—deposit all the cash you don't actually need and you will be surprised how your account will grow.

**IST NAT'L BANK**

## LOCAL NEWS

### Tell Or Telephone It

If you have visitors and are not ashamed of them—phone number 4 or tell the reporter so. Do likewise if members of your family or neighbors depart or arrive. Don't be bashful.

He had no coat upon his back, But had one on his tongue. And Rocky Mountain Tea, it's said, Kept him from being hung (Bad breath.) G M Ramsey

H Peck, of Cerro Gordo Ill., who has been spending the winter in the southern states stopped off in Ada with R Tidwell and L Rock on his way home.

Mrs Scrivener Misses Scrivener and Hatcher, and Mr Mayfield were here from Stonewall.

Wrinkles are age tellers. Drive them away by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's better than cosmetics. It does the business. 35c Tea or Tablets G M Ramsey

Rev Phelps representing the Presbyterian missionary work, was in the city today.

Rome Sugg is up from Stonewall. Mrs J R Fletcher returned from Shawnee where she has been visiting.

It flows like fire through your veins, it does the work. If you're wasting away day by day take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets G M Ramsey

J W Cady of Atoka, is among the business visitors.

Dick Williams is again at his post at Crowder's after ten days' sickness.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton chicken specialist. 284 tf

In the front portion of the Scott-Hoard building E H Lucas purposes in a few days to put in an up-to-date moving picture theatre.

Miss Vera Carnes (after a week) with her niece, Mrs R K Rollow, went back to Stonewall today.

C H Ennis went to Atoka on business.

### SHOWS ADVANCE OF JAPAN.

Crude Methods of Mining Discarded for Most Up-to-Date Ideas.

Near the center of the beautiful mountain island of Shikoku, and standing rather more than 4,000 feet above the waters of the inland sea of Japan, there is a peak of sulphide copper ore which has become a center of industry popularly known throughout the island empire as Sumitomo Bess. Here for centuries before the industrial development of the new world was begun by white men the Japanese were mining in a crude way and carrying the ore on their backs in small wicker baskets (such as are still used for coaling ships at Nagasaki) down the 12 miles of arduous mountain paths to the smelters on the shore of the inland sea.

To-day the marvelous little workers are still at the pursuit of burrowing out the mountain but a vast change has come over the methods of working says a writer in the Engineering Magazine. Where in the ancient times only a paltry few hundred baskets of ore were each day borne over the difficult trails an output of 9,000 tons daily now glides down a great cableway and is carried from the foot of the slope by rail road to the sea. In short there is established at Sumitomo Bess a modern mine, plant modern in all essential details of engineering construction and the wonder of the transformation is that it has been wrought without the direct assistance of a single foreign engineer.

### HE WORKED HIS "SCIENCE"

New Method Employed by Satisfied and Comfortable Husband

It is the wife who is the head of the house and it was she who decided upon the flat—and repented immediately afterward. The building was a new one—recently finished and after the parlor ceiling had fallen twice and the repair man had botched a dozen small jobs she decided to move again. In this she met the lively opposition of the family. They were all content with their rooms and the children begged for a delay. The husband took the matter with calmness and did not enter into the argument after expressing his entire contentment with the present conditions.

The wife worried and went flat hunting but at last she announced that she had come to the conclusion that they would remain. The husband looked up placidly from his coffee cup. "I knew that several weeks ago," he announced.

But I only decided this morning," she retorted in surprise.

He smiled jingly. Down at the church he explained we have been giving you absent treatment for five weeks. After this you need not say that there is nothing in science. Then he dodged the sugar bowl.

### Much Used Wedding Present.

A Providence girl who has been married about six months had wedding presents a short time ago from an old school friend who had given her a well-worn present which of course demanded one in return. Among her wedding presents the Providence girl had a telescope in the shape of two silver ear rings and in a spirit of economy she decided to give one of these to her friend. It was marked with her own initials but it would be only a matter of a few minutes to have them removed and the proper monogram cut.

She took it to the jeweler and explained what was to be done. He picked up the tray looked at it closely and smiled.

Madame said he it will be impossible. I have already changed the initials on this same tray five times and it has worn so thin that I can not do it again without cutting through the bottom.

### Had Good Eyesight

A young man from the rural districts went to Boston and while there visited the Harvard astronomical observatory and was allowed to look through a great telescope at the stars.

What is that star? he inquired pointing to a very bright one.

Oh that's Aldebaran replied the attendant.

Is it very far off? asked the youth.

About 10,000,000 miles.

Then all I can say, said the visitor is that you must have wonderfully good eyes to make out that star's name at that distance even with that big telescope. It's really most marvelous.

### The Sneerer and His Sneer

The sneer is an arrested bite. It is a mark of the savage. The man who sneers is that much less of a gentleman. The sneerer would bite if he was not afraid to do so. He is a coward. The sneerer is a savage whether he sneers in print or not. If he writes down his sneers he has not removed himself from the ranks of savagery. He yet remains one of the worst savages however his English be polished and his style be sparkling. The sneer does turn into a bite when even the savage who indulges in it acquires courage. While he is a coward it remains an arrested bite—Columbia Herald.

### Thinking of a Noiseless Time

Mother—Tommy little boys should be seen and not heard when taking their soup.

Tommy—How long will it be before I can take my soup like papa?

If you have a horse, a cow, a wagon, set of harness or household goods, in fact anything you wish to dispose of, advertise it for sale in the Daily News. Costs only 5c a line, and you can find a ready buyer or a chance to exchange your property to advantage for something you want. In Ada everybody reads the Daily News, and it costs you only a few cents to put your ad before them all.

Spring and Easter millinery. Come Friday afternoon from 2 o'clock until 6 o'clock and catch a glimpse of what's new. Miss Mitchem at Reed & Harrison's 302 St.

Miss Amanda James Haynes is visiting in Holdenville this week.

Perry Goldstein was here from Coalgate overnight.

J W Hays was in Stonewall.

Mrs. Hattie Kruger, of Center, took the train here for Muskogee.

M T. Derrett has arrived from Dallas to assist in the construction of the dam.

The XXth Century club meets with Mrs. Duke Stone this afternoon.

To those who ride I wish to say I will in the future run the Chas. Evans' cab, and assure them of good, prompt service. G W Houser. Phone 64. 237 btd.

Mrs. J L Miles and little Dorothy have gone to Alva, Oklahoma, on account of sickness of Mrs. Miles' sister-in-law.

Hurried meals, lack of exercise are the main causes of dyspepsia. A Ring's Dyspepsia Tablet after each meal aids digestion, improves the appetite. Sold by G M Ramsey's drug store. 31.

V E McInnes of the Frisco legal department, was here today.

W A Walton, traveling car agent for the Frisco was in the city this morning.

Miss Mitchem will have a first showing of "smart" spring hats Friday and Saturday. Everybody cordially invited to call at Reed & Harrison's 302 St.

Capt. A D Tanner and family have moved out of town and now occupy the John D. Lee place 3 1/2 miles north.

We have limited quantity of the celebrated Allen Long staple cotton seed for sale. Frierson Brothers. Over Freeman & Co's store. 290-tf D & W.

Judge N B Haney and wife of Shawnee are guests at the Harris.

Prof T W Kennedy of Stonewall was here returning from Muskogee.

Col W F Cox and wife left today for a visit at Sherman.

Frank Jones was in Stonewall today. Mrs. F K Smith departed this morning for the new home Vernon, Texas. Mr. Smith went on ahead.

J M Wilson one of Bebee's best citizens, was a visitor in Ada today.

Byron Norrell and Mr. West have gone to Muskogee as delegates from the Ada camp to attend the big Woodman convention today and tomorrow.

Ross Tipton left today for New Mexico to seek out a location in the breezy west.

### They Act Quick.

The loss of a gold watch was advertised in The News one evening and early the next morning a fellow brought in the missing jewelry. News ads act quick. Good for any sort of trouble or business.

### Marriage Licenses.

G W Farley, 30 and Vilone Duncan, 16 Stonewall. Geo Stringfellow, 28, and Mattie Richards, 18, Franks.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will steadily destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F J Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio by F J Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## GET WISE



And patronize our store. You should know that we have a most complete stock of goods in our line. We want YOUR patronage. Courteous treatment is a paramount issue with us. Try us.

In our store is an experienced and up-to-date pharmacist who will take pains to see that your prescriptions are filled just as your doctor would have them.

**GWIN, MAYS & CO.**

The Druggists  
Successors to W T Nolen

### Saved Her Son's Life.

The happiest mother in the little town of Ava, Mo., is Mrs. S. Ruppee. She writes: "One year ago my son was down with such serious lung trouble that our physician was unable to help him, when, by our druggist's advice I began giving him Dr. King's New Discovery, and I soon noticed improvement. I kept this treatment up for a few weeks when he was perfectly well. He has worked steadily since at carpenter work. Dr. King's New Discovery saved his life." Guaranteed best cough and cold cure by G M Ramsey, Druggist. 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottle free.

### For Sale Cheap.

I have a stock of snackets and coffins and burial suits that will be sold cheap for cash—G W Hilton, 3rd door west Citizens Bank. 284-tf

## Ada Opera House

**DR. B. H. EBB,**  
DENTIST  
Ada National Bank Building  
Rooms P and O, Phone 89  
Office Hours: 8 to 12; 1 to 5:30

**DR. H. T. SAFFARRANS**  
Dentist  
In Freeman Bldg. Ada, IT.

**F. W. LE FEVRE, M. D.**  
General Practice and Surgery. Special attention to diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses fitted with ophthalmoscope and trial lenses. X-Ray treatment and static electricity. Office in Duncan Block. Phones 161-240.

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DENTIST

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ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW  
Will do a general Civil and Criminal Practice.  
Office in Duncan Building.

**C. A. Galbraith and Tom D. McKeown**  
GALBRAITH & McKEOWN  
LAWYERS  
Over Citizens National Bank  
Ada, Ind. Ter.

The DAILY OKLAHOMAN will issue a special 80-page edition Sunday, March 10, giving a descriptive write-up of Oklahoma. Get a copy at the News stand.

**ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.**  
Is given up to be best. Do  
Largest Agency Work  
of any plant in this Territory

**WANT A BATH?**  
Then get a good clean one. Hot or Cold, at High & Litzman's Barber Shop next door to English Kitchen.

**Five Pennies A Day**  
Pays for a telephone in your home. Can you afford to be without it? Order today. Call the Local Manager for a representative of the Contract Department.

**PIONEER TELEPHONE and TELEGRAPH CO.**

(AN OLD AND ESTABLISHED HOUSE)

## ARMSTRONG, BYRD & CO

—OF OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.—

Have been established in the PIANO and ORGAN business in Oklahoma and Indian Territories for ten years. They are the largest music house in the Southwest and carry a magnificent line of thirty-two of the best known and most reliable makes of Pianos. They sell from \$50.00 to \$75.00 cheaper than any other firm sell Pianos of the same grade and quality.

IF I THE MARKET FOR A PIANO FIGURE WITH THEM

## YES WE HAVE IT

"COMPOUND KARGON" and "VIRGIN OIL OF PINE"

You have been reading about these remedies in the news papers. We can fill all prescriptions containing them.

**G. M. RAMSEY, Druggist**

Successor to Clark Drug Co.

## The Nickel Store

We sell for CASH. We buy for cash; that's why our quality, our quantity, our prices satisfy you, please you far and away beyond the offerings of usual credit conditions.

Sweet California navel oranges per doz. . . . 25c  
Apples—A fine lot fresh from the cold storage every few days. Fancy Pippin and wine sap, doz. . 15c

### Our Candy Department

Stock fresh and price just one half what you have been paying at confectionery stores. Your choice of any of the following candies only 12c per pound.

Assorted Cocoa Bon Bons  
Assorted Ice Cream Kisses  
Chocolate Cream Wafers  
Starlight Kisses  
Cream Caramel Dates  
Fig Caramels  
Cream Dates  
Peach Stones  
Cream Maplelins  
Cream Chocolates.

### Specials in Tablets

Tablets, both for pencil and ink, ruled and unruled. . . . 5c  
Western linen tablets, the popular cloth finish paper. . . . 10c  
Highland linen bond tablets, of Eaton Hurlburt manufacture. . 15c

We also in this department handle memo Books, D E Ledgers, S. E. Ledgers, Cash Books, Journals, Stenographers Supplies, Inks, Mucilage, Glue, Pens and Pencils. Autograph pencils we sell 2 for 5c.

### Bargains in Gloves

Ladies' golf gloves 25c and 50c. Black cashmere gloves 25c.  
Men's Gloves. We would like to emphasize the good values we give for 75c and \$1.00. Also sell any size plain duck gloves for 10c a pair or 3 pairs 25c.

Come here for your household and kitchen supplies. We sell every thing in Tinware, Granite-ware, Shelf Hardware, Queensware, Glassware, and most any kind of ware. All over the store you find "Spic Span" new goods at the lowest possible price. Come and see us whether you want to buy or not.

### Garden Seeds.

Choice new crop 1907 Seed, the large full weight packages, 2 for 5c. Also sell everything in the bulk seeds at half the usual prices.

Notions, Safety Pins from 2c to 5c dozen. Brass Pins 5c. Pearl Buttons smooth and clear, 5c dz., etc. Hosiery and Handkerchiefs at Bargain prices.

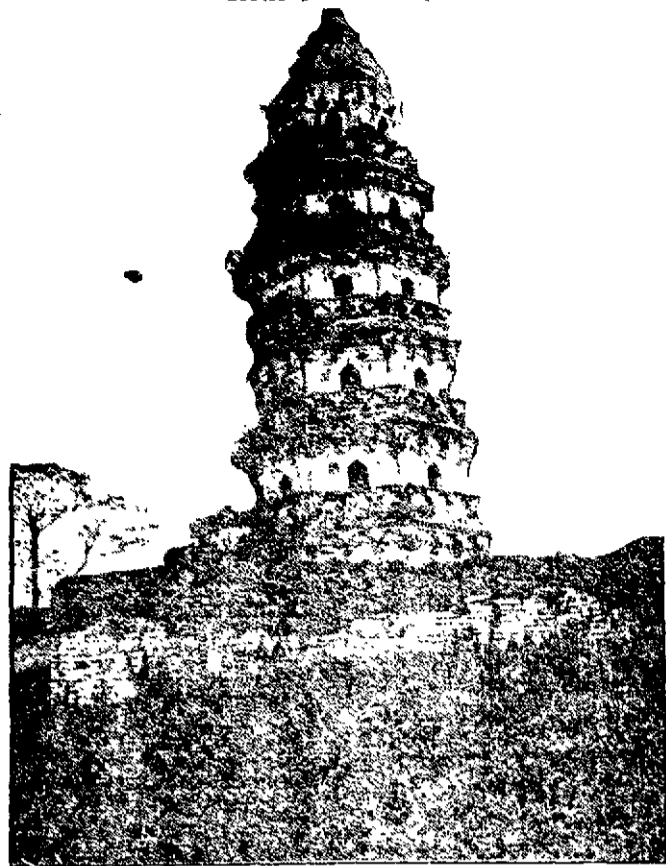
## The Nickel Store

**S. M. SHAW, Prop.**



## La France SHOE For Women

Of the most successful shoe makers in the world, the La France shoe is a masterpiece of art and science. It is a shoe that will stand the test of time and wear. It is a shoe that will give you the most comfortable and graceful walk. It is a shoe that will make you the envy of all who see you. It is a shoe that will last you for years. It is a shoe that will cost you very little. It is a shoe that will give you the most beautiful and graceful look. It is a shoe that will make you the most popular and admired woman in the room. It is a shoe that will give you the most perfect and complete satisfaction. It is a shoe that will make you the most beautiful and graceful woman in the world. It is a shoe that will cost you very little. It is a shoe that will give you the most beautiful and graceful look. It is a shoe that will make you the most popular and admired woman in the room. It is a shoe that will give you the most perfect and complete satisfaction. 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Photograph of the Tiger Hill Pagoda at Suochow, China. It is known as the "Leaning Tower" and is said to be 1,300 years old.

## WHERE WOMEN RULE.

### CONSERVATIVE AND EXCLUSIVE WELSH VILLAGE.

Town of Langwm Remarkable for Its  
Self-Effacing Male Population—  
Girls Kept Within Bounds  
Until Recently.

London.—The county of Pembroke in Wales is perhaps able to find as much food for the antiquary as any two others in Great Britain. It is a land of ruined palaces and castles, ancient churches and still more ancient history. Its towns of any size are few and far between and for that reason its nooks and corners are but little visited by the quickly passing tourist, while the townspeople themselves seem neither to know much nor care about the hundred and one interests in the hamlets and villages about them.

A market case in point is the little village of Langwm.

Little Langwm is now practically the only self-contained community in the county able to point to a direct descent from their busy ancestors across the North sea.

So conservative and exclusive are this little village's traditions that it was not till quite recently that its daughters were allowed to go forth into what must have been to them a very foreign domestic service or marry beyond its bounds, while their tongue to this day is far less intelligible to their neighbors than it must have been in late Norman days when the Flemish language only differed in the dialect from that in fairly general use in England.

But it is in their domestic affairs

that the dwellers in Langwm differ so widely from their neighbors. Here woman rules the roost in a fashion that would commend itself to many of her English sisters. A recent writer had it that none but the gentlest sex sat in the village council and that the undemocratic of husbands were swiftly dealt with by a selected bevy of Langwm beauty in painful but thorough fashion.

This imputation was much resented at the time and the libeller would no doubt have been as carefully "attended to" had he put in an appearance in the village.

There is no question, however, that Langwm womanhood has an equal word in the conduct of this temperate and well-governed little colony, while its menfolk are of the self-effacing order, eating and mending in the creek and rarely bound upon the roads outside the village.

One has only to meet a group of its sturdy womenfolk hawking fish upon the rough roads of Haverfordwest, Tenby and Pembroke clad in short red and blue homespun skirts, thick worsted stockings and mighty hobnail boots, with pea jacket and soft felt hat as a picturesque finish, to grasp the fact that mere man would have but a poor show in wordy or physical argument with one of them.

Woman rules here as much upon the water as upon land. Langwm's little fleet of boats is almost invariably manned—one should almost say womaned—by two women and a man, with one of the former at the tiller. The intricate windings and currents of the upper Haven, or a dirty day beyond it, are taken with equal skill and philosophy by these sturdy Amazons.

1887 he conducted a gymnasium at Ninth and Arch streets.

Thirty-three years ago Lewis was asked to become the physical instructor at Girard college. He accepted the offer, and his name was dignified by the little professor.

Professor Lewis' long term of service at the college has been one continual success. The weight of his 78 years apparently hampers him not in the least in his work.

### Old Document Found.

Denver.—A bill of lading for 20 African slaves, and dated July 31, 1807, was found a few days ago by John W. Anthony, of Denver, while rummaging in the bottom of a trunk. The document is 100 years old. The paper announces the shipment of the 20 negroes to his father. The slaves were bought in Charleston, S. C., and shipped to New Orleans. The bill of lading is signed by William Flagg, master of the old ship Carolina. One of the peculiar notations is this: "Shipped in good order and well condition." The freight charges on the slaves from Charleston to New Orleans were \$500.

### Glass in Fish's Stomach.

Talm Beach, Fla.—While fishing on the Ocean pier a negro pulled in a good-sized kingfish. On cleaning it he felt something hard in the stomach, and pulled out a pair of rimless glasses attached to a delicate gold chain, evidently intended for a woman's wear. The glasses were not broken. Emerson D. Prescott of Washington, a patron of the Royal Polarian hotel, heard of the discovery and bought the glasses from the fisherman.

## SLIDE SAVED TRAIN

### DITCHED RUNAWAY LOCOMOTIVE JUST IN TIME.

Engineer Tells of Experience That Put a Few Gray Hairs in His Head But Ended Better Than He Expected.

"After comin' aroun' the bend in Collins Cut," said the fat engineer, "I just glanced back to see that the markers, those little red and green tall lights which mark the end of a train, were there all right. I leaned 'way out of the cab window 'n' counted the sleepers as they swept aroun' the curve.

"Yes, there they came all right, burnin' like bright little emeralds 'n' I knew my train was all together 'n' followin' me safely down the hill.

"The night I am speakin' of I was runnin' the Sunrise Limited, as the fast eastern express on our road was called. It was in March, 'n' gentle spring was already spreadin' her velvet touch over the land.

"We had had a deal of snow that winter, 'n' now that it was commencin' to thaw out the s-u-f-f was makin' quite a little trouble for the management, slidin' aroun' the tracks from the mountainside, sometimes bringin' a piece of hill with it.

"As I glanced back along the sides of the glistenin' coaches I was attracted by a glare along the rails behind my train, 'n' in another second a headlight flashed aroun' the curve out of the cut in our wake, makin' very fast time. Even a blind baggage car could see that one of the engines in the yards at the top of the mountain had slipped her throttle 'n' was running away, chasin' us down the mountain.

"I was some set back for a second, but the only thing for me to do was to turn on a full head of steam 'n' make the best time I could, which wasn't the safest thing in the world to do, as we generally hold 'em pretty steady comin' down the mountain; but I must show a clean brace of tail-lights to the runaway.

"She wasn't quite a quarter of a mile behind us, 'n' looked like a fiery comet comin' down the rails, as her firebox door was open, 'n' with every exhaust of the engine the flare from her furnace lit up the sky. My engine bounded forward under a wide open throttle 'n' our race for the lives of those in the rear sleepers was on.

"Notwithstanding the weight of the train behind me, which should give me a little advantage over the light engine comin' down the hill, we didn't seem to be able to shake her off. An' each time I trusted myself to glance back at her she seemed to be crawlin' up on us a little.

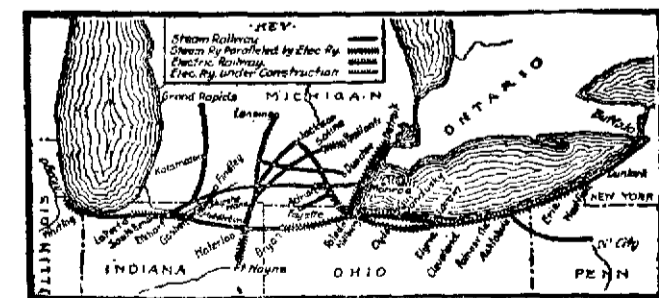
"If I could keep a few yards of moonlight between the pilot of the wildest 'n' my rear car until we got down the mountain 'n' started up the Razorback on the other side, I could drop my engine down 'n' leave the runaway behind, as by that time she would be out of steam 'n' lay down like a runaway horse which has shot its bolt. But I wouldn't bet more 'n' 50 to 1, H. T. rebats checks to a rag doll that we would beat her down.

"However, we had a fightin' chance 'n' the way I pounded my good old en-

### ELECTRIC AND STEAM LINES.

Motor Has by No Means Supplanted the Locomotive.

The competition of electric interurban railways with present systems of steam railways, in the passenger traffic, has of late become a matter of some popular interest and of more or less common speculation. Much is currently written and spoken upon the subject; but of these discussions a certain amount seems to be based upon sensational statements or upon mistaken ideas as to the comparative standing of the two railway industries at the present time. The interurban



Section Well Supplied with Both Lines.

electric railways have accomplished a remarkable growth in the last decade, and they are firmly established today as a part of the transportation system of this country. The new motive power has become a competitor of steam, but not to the extent of driving the latter from the field, as is occasionally said. So far as the economic aspects of the competition are concerned, the time seems not yet to have come when the electric motor can successfully supplant the steam locomotive in all those forms of service which have been developed and standardized by the latter. From the beginning certain fields of usefulness have been particularly favorable to the electric motive power. These fields of adaptability, however, are continually broadening, so that perhaps in a few years the electric motor may be a successful rival to the

one sent the hot coals out of the stack. I was gettin' a little nervous, as that light engine hung onto our trail like a bicycle cop after a speedin' auto.

"Comin' aroun' through Rocky Holler I got several chills down my spine as the watchman down by the little shanty was hysterically wavin' his green lantern at me. Durin' the thaw the road had several watchmen stationed at intervals down the mountain to watch for landslides 'n' warn approachin' trains. Evidently there was a dangerous spot in the track that the watchman had discovered 'n' he was signalin' me to come ahead with extreme caution.

"I sure was up against the real thing now. A wildcat engine pressin' me hard on the rear flank 'n' a dangerous piece of track ahead. This was a case where the rule book failed to help me out.

"Take a safe course 'n' run no risks," says the railroad Hoyle in chilly black double face type. Which was the safe course for me?

"I did some quick mental calculatin' 'n' concluded to keep a full head of steam up. I've read in newspapers about trains beatin' their way through slight landslides 'n' there was a show for me to cut through it if there was one ahead.

"But if I stopped my train that engine behind would be half through those sleepin' cars, killin' 'n' makin' the snoozin' passengers. It would be safer for me personally to slow down, but I was not so selfish as to consider my personal safety.

"So we bounced along by the frightened watchman with speed not a whit diminished. I fairly stopped breathin' as we whirled down through the Holler. Just beyond the watchman's shanty I felt a tremblin' of the track 'n' my engine keeled badly.

"I clung to the cab, expectin' every second we would slide down the bank. But we kept the rails. We had barely passed the shanty when there was a rumblin' sound 'n' I saw the little watchman's cabin swirlin' down the bank.

"The heavy weight of our train at its terrific speed had caused the track to give way 'n' slide out just in time to take the runaway engine with it 'n' we were out of our bad mess."

### Cassatt Kept His Horses.

A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, always liked a good horse. When he was a vice president and director of the line he owned a small string of racers, which he entered as representatives of the "Willowbrook" stable. At that time Mr. Roberts was president, and as there was a strong quaker influence in the board Mr. Cassatt was gently reminded that he should resign from Willowbrook or from the road. He did both at once and ere long it became evident that he was taking up with the Reading railroad. The Pennsylvania people hastily requested him to resume relations with them. Mr. Cassatt placidly assented, but thereafter his horses were entered under his own name.

### Rolling Stock.

In round numbers \$380,000,000 was spent last year in rolling stock for the American railroads. More than \$250,000,000 was spent in freight cars. A freight car costs about \$1,000, and a passenger car about \$8,000. The price of a good engine is about \$15,000.

older power in almost all important particulars, but until that time comes the competition of electric roads with steam railways will be confined principally to competition in special features of transportation and to certain localities, where particular conditions bring the two systems into conflict.

This restriction of the competition to special features and localities has been and is the keynote of the situation with regard to any contest for business between the electric and the steam roads. The electric railway equipment of the earlier days involved certain technical limitations which made the system unsuited for any but comparatively short distance transportation. These features are now

# OLD SEWANEE to CELEBRATE



Fifty years ago next July the University of the South, or Sewanee university as it is best known, was organized, and in recognition of that beginning a celebration is to be held this year on the beautiful grounds of the institution on the high plateau of Lookout mountain to which will come the Sewanee clans from all parts of the union.

In the clan of Sewanee are such men as President Roosevelt and J. Pierpont Morgan, both of whom have promised to climb the mountain and join in the festivities. Neither the president nor the millionaire financier are graduates of Sewanee, but because of the help they have given the university they are counted as members of the clan.

President Roosevelt was particularly attracted to Sewanee because of its attitude in the negro problem. He believes that the university will play a conspicuous part in years to come in solving the question. The president is intimately acquainted with the vice chancellor of the university, Prof. B. L. Wiggins, and has professed the greatest confidence in Sewanee's work.

Sewanee teaches its students that the perplexing race problem is to be solved only by appealing to the moral side of the negro. Intellectual development of the colored man, Sewanee believes, cannot alone accomplish the work. The working out of this problem is only a part of Sewanee's ambition. The university, broad in principle upon every question, aims to turn out men who are able to grasp the hardest questions of life, guided by the spirit of altruism.

That was the spirit that inspired the founders of the University of the South when, in 1857, the corner stone for the institution was laid on Lookout mountain. Sewanee has turned out thousands of graduates, and today there are lawyers, doctors and business men of great prominence throughout the country who will say that it was the influence of Sewanee that was in a great measure responsible for their success.

J. Pierpont Morgan became interested in Sewanee five years ago, when he attended a convention of the Episcopal church, in Minneapolis. The university, although run under the auspices of the Episcopal church, is non-sectarian in character. Bishop Dudley, of Kentucky, told the convention of Sewanee's work, and Morgan became deeply impressed.

When the convention was over Mr. Morgan told Bishop Dudley that he would like to help such a university as he had described. A few weeks later the millionaire sent the university \$50,000 in railroad bonds and followed it up with a cash donation of \$15,000. Lately he has promised another donation.

There are over 500 New Yorkers who were graduated from Sewanee. They have organized an alumni society with Dr. John H. P. Hodgson, of Washington Square, as president. Dr. Hodgson's father, Rev. Dr. Tolly Hodgson, was so fond of the university that for 15 years he gave his services gratis as its vice chancellor. At his death, some years ago, Mrs. Hodgson, his widow, erected a memorial chapel costing \$25,000 on the university grounds. Rev. Mr. Hodgson, during his service as vice chancellor, presented the university with a medical infirmary.

Sewanee has a romantic history. Bishop Folk, of Louisiana, was its founder. A son of the bishop, Dr. William M. Folk, is a prominent practitioner in this city. Bishop Folk enlisted interest among southerners and got a donation of 10,000 acres of forest land on a high plateau on Lookout mountain. Besides this, he was promised endowments aggregating \$3,000,000.

The day the corner stone was laid—a bleak afternoon in October—5,000 men and women made their way to the mountain top. In the town of Sewanee, at the foot of the mountain, there were not nearly enough houses to shelter them for the night. Tents were pitched in the forest, and there the visitors rested. There was an immense barbecue, and the occasion was one long to be remembered.

Several wooden structures were put up for the workmen, and the work of building the University of the South was soon begun. Then came the civil war. The Seventh Illinois troops one

day, in traveling from Nashville to Chattanooga, came upon the crude university huts. The work of putting up the stone buildings had not been started.

The soldiers saw the marble cornerstone and at once became inquisitive. The stone was blown open with gunpowder, and the papers that Bishop Folk had placed there were abstarcted. The wooden huts were set afire, and nothing remained to mark the site of the Sewanee university but ashes.

During the war Bishop Folk, at the head of a Louisiana regiment, was killed. When the war was over the trustees again took up the work of building the university. They found that the fortunes of those who had promised the \$3,000,000 of endowments had been dissipated. There were no funds with which to continue the work.

Discouraged, the trustees concluded to abandon the idea. Under the grant by which they came into possession of the forest land, they would lose title if no buildings were put up by the fall of 1868. Bishop Quintard, whose brothers now own the Quintard iron works, of this city, realized that Sewanee was doomed unless something was hurriedly done. Three days before possession would have passed from the trustees, the bishop and two others went up to the mountain and planted a rustic cross, after the fashion of the warriors under William the Conqueror. The next day they hastily nailed together two rough huts, and the day after that the University of the South was an established fact.

The bishop and his two conferees sent for their sons, and for a year the boys were the only students of Sewanee. In the meantime the trustees had got more funds and stone buildings were beginning to assume shape. Inside of two years there were half a dozen fine structures in that wilderness, with several professors and 50 students.

Now Sewanee has an average of 350 students every year. Its domain has been beautiful until today the grounds are among the finest to be found in the world. There are magnificent residences for the professors, while many of the friends or alumni of the university have houses on the grounds and live there the year round. One of the things on which Sewanee prides itself is this community. The university population, outside of the students, is over 1,000.

Sewanee's professors, unlike those of some universities, are never kept under restraint of speech. Freedom of the chair is one of the things for which the university is famed. An instance of this is furnished in the case of Prof. Trent, now professor of English literature at Columbia university. The professor was, until a few years ago, one of the faculty of Sewanee.

Although a southerner, Prof. Trent has some views on the war that are not in accord with those of all other southerners. Some years ago the professor wrote his impressions in a book which he called "Southern Statesmen of the Old Regime."

The book created a furor in the south, as Prof. Trent had expected. Slanting friends of the university in the south wrote scorching letters to the trustees, demanding that Prof. Trent be instantly dismissed. They considered his intemperance intolerable. The reply of the trustees was substantially this:

"We allow free speech at Sewanee. That is one of the cardinal principles of our institution. Prof. Trent has not violated the university's law; therefore we cannot see any reason why he should be called to account. He will remain with Sewanee as long as he is true to its principles."

Prof. Trent remained until he married and then moved to New York city.

### Long Distance.

"Where are you going, old chap?" asked the first youth.

"Going to send Myrtilla a kiss through the telephone," replied the second youth.

"Why, you are slow. Don't you know a kiss through a telephone loses its flavor?"

"Just why I am using the telephone, old man. I have been eating onions."—Chicago Daily News.